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FORTIFYING.

Big Force at Work at Sandy Hook.

Building Ramparts and Mounting Guns

All Women and Children Ordered Removed.

And Preparations for an Attack are Rapidly Being Made--Hostilities Imminent.

NEW YORK, March 14.—The 300 artillerymen ordered from Fort Hamilton and Fort Wadsworth to Sandy Hook were transferred to the latter point today. Under the direction of army engineers hundreds of soldiers and workmen are busy mounting guns, building ramparts and laying other defenses at the Hook. Not since the civil war has such activity been seen there. A train of twenty-one cars, each loaded with a twelve-inch steel mortar, is lying on a siding near the fortifications. It arrived yesterday from the Watervliet arsenal. The work of erecting mounts for the mortars is being rushed. Many mortars are already in place. They are out of sight, in deep pits, in batteries of sixteen each, and cannot be reached by an enemy's guns except by shell. Dozens of eight, ten and twelve inch steel rifles are at the Hook ready for mounting. When the engineers are through, the fortifications will be among the strongest in the world.

All woman, and children under sixteen years old, have been ordered from the Hook. The wives of many of the workmen left yesterday. Hundreds of masons, carpenters and other mechanics are working on the additional quarters needed for the artillerymen. They are nearly completed.

TO ACQUIRE SHIPS.

A Board Has Been Created for That Purpose.

NEW YORK, March 14.—The board of auxiliary cruisers of the United States navy, which was appointed to acquire ships of the merchant marine for use in the event of the breaking out of the war, met for organization today in the Havemeyer building, where the board has secured temporary quarters. Permanent quarters will be taken later, as the board will have a great amount of work to do here. The new board supercedes the office of the United States inspector of merchant vessels, which has been held by Lieutenant Commander J. D. Kelly, in this city, since May of last year. Commander Kelley is a member of the new board. A member of the board said today that it had power to pre-empt any vessel that had been constructed under the subsidy of congress and was engaged in carrying the mails. All vessels will be carefully examined and no worn out hulks will be accepted. "We can easily secure a fine fleet on both coasts," said this gentleman, "from ocean-going tugs to fleet liners like the vessels of the American line."

POWDER AND SHELL.

Battleship Oregon Being Prepared for a Hostile Cruise.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 14.—The battleship Oregon is lying in the stream with scows and schooners all about her. From two of the scows coal is being discharged, from another powder is being hoisted on board the warship and from a fourth shells for the big guns. The ultimate destination of the Oregon is presumably the Atlantic coast. She is taking in one hundred tons of coal, which it is figured will carry her to Callao, as already stated. She will await orders at Valparaiso.

ANOTHER FORECAST.

The President and His Cabinet Alleged to Know What is What.

ST. PAUL, Minn., March 14.—The Globe's Washington special says:

The president and his cabinet know, unofficially, the result of the Maine inquiry. They are prepared to act. They have canvassed the course of events, so far as they can forsee them, and have formulated a policy to meet the emergency. Along its lines the administration expects to move—unless it is swept off its feet by a wave of popular dissatisfaction.

The Globe's special correspondent is able to present the forecast of events as viewed by the president and his cabinet. It can be outlined thus:

1. The board of inquiry will report this week that the explosion was external.

2. The president will immediately, through Minister Woodford, demand from Spain an indemnification of $10,000,000.

3. Spain is expected to reply expressing her willingness to pay if she is responsible, but maintaining that her own investigation shows that the explosion was internal and purely accidental. She will therefore suggest reference to an international board of arbitration.

4. In such an event the administration would be disposed to comply with the suggestion—unless there is an emute in Havana, or an irresistible demand for war sweeps through congress.

5. If congress acquiesces in the suggestion, the attempt will be made to adjourn that body and leave the whole matter in the president's hands.

6. It is expected that a large majority of congressmen will claim that such a matter of honor cannot be arbitrated. It is further expected that the leaders of both houses, including Senator Davis of Minnesota, will favor arbitration.

HER SECURITIES GO DOWN.

Spanish Fours Score Sharp Decline in European Exchanges.

LONDON, March 14.—Spanish fours on the stock exchange today opened at 53¼ against 55, the closing quotations of Saturday. Later Spanish fours further declined to 52½.

PARIS, March 14.—On the bourse today Spanish fours opened at 54 5-16, 5-16 lower than Saturdays closing prices.

MADRID, March 14.—Spanish fours here today were quoted at 76.60 against 77, the closing price Saturday.

BOATS FROM HAVANA.

KEY WEST, Fla., March 14.—The American yacht Buccanneer arrived here this morning from Havana, and the United States coast survey vessel Bache sailed this morning for Havana. The newspaper dispatch boats Dewey, Echo and Confidence arrived here from Havana and shortly afterwards returned to that port..

EUROPEAN WATERS DESERTED.

WASHINGTON, March 14.—Cablegrams received at the navy department today announce that the Bancroft sailed yesterday from Lisbon for Norfolk, and the Helena from Key West to join the squadron. This leaves Admiral Howell at Lisbon with his flagship San Francisco as the sole representative of the United states navy in European waters.

THE DONS DID IT.

Blew Up the Maine by Submarine Mine.

No Doubt Now of the Cause of the Explosion--Deplorable Condition of the Cubans.

WASHINGTON, March 14.—Col. Myron M. Parker, one of the leading business men of Washington, who accompanied Senator Proctor on his recent visit to Cuba, said today that the Americans on the island had no doubt that the disaster to the Maine was caused through Spanish agency. Their belief, however, he said, could not be traced to any authoritative source and it was conceded by all persons that the court of inquiry and other persons connected with the investigation had not given any intimation of what the evidence disclosed. Nevertheless, he said, there was absolutely no difference of opinion among the Americans as to the cause of the disaster have been an external explosion. The insurgents, Colonel Parker thought, were in better shape than ever before and would be able to accomplish their independence in time. The Cubans, as a rule, he believed, would be glad to see the island come under the American flag and would do what they could to bring about that result. The colonel reiterated his statement of last night that the situation of the reconcentradoes was deplorable in the extreme. They were confined within narrow limits and practically left to starve.

PIONEER MISSIONARY.

Dr. Young J. Allen, the Best Known White Man in the Chinese Empire.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 14.—Probably the best known white person in the Chinese empire is Dr. Young J. Allen, who has just arrived here. Dr. Allen has been engaged in missionary work at Shanghai for the past forty years. He is one of the officers of the society for the diffusion of Christian and general knowledge among the Chinese, which, during the past year, published and distributed of Dr. Allen's works alone 189,000 volumes, in the Chinese language. The mission with which he is identified was established fifty years ago, and he is now on his way to attend the semi-centennial celebration of the event, which is to be held in Baltimore in May.

MURDERED.

Wolfjoel Shot and Killed by an Ex-Soldier.

CAPE TOWN, March 14.—Mr. Wolfjoel, the trustee of the estate of the late Barney Barnato, the South African millionaire, was shot in his office this morning at Johannesburg by a former soldier.

LONDON, March 14.—It is said in this city that Mr. Wolfjoel, the nephew of Barney Baranto, is dead as the result of the shot.

MORE GOLD.

Large Shipment Ordered From Europe by Bankers.

NEW YORK, March 14.—It is announced that J. and W. Seligman & Co. have ordered $500,000 additional gold from Europe. Kidder, Peabody & Co., of Boston, will import $500,000 in gold from England; the National City bank of New York, $365,000; Heidlebach, Ickelheimer & Co., $350,000, and Kessler & Co., $500,000.

GOT THE SHIPS.

Reported Purchase by the United States is Confirmed.

Chili Refuses to Sell Ships to Spain.

The Brooklyn Arrives at Fortress Monroe.

Senator Proctor Gives the Details of His Cuban Trip to the President--The Situation at the Capital.

WASHINGTON, March 14.—The reported sale to the United States of the two Brazilian cruisers, Amazonas and Admiral Breu, now receiving their finishing touches in an English shipyard, was confirmed here this afternoon. It is learned also that Spain has not secured the O'Higgins, and that Chili will not sell her to Spain. It is said furthermore that Spain has not and cannot purchase ships from either Chili or the Argentine Republic.

The big armored cruiser Brooklyn arrived at Fortress Monroe this morning direct from La Gayara, Venezuela. She made a fine run up and, it is expected, will await at Hampton Roads the arrival of the Minneapolis and Columbia, which are just fitting out at Philadelphia. This force will form an excellent nucleus for the projected "flying squadron" in case the department decides to form one.

Senator Proctor called at the war department today to see Secretary Alger. He was given right-of-way over a number of persons who were waiting for the secretary in the reception room and for nearly half hour recited to Secretary Alger the events and observations of his Cuban trip.

Later Senator Proctor called at the white house and had quite an extended conference with the president, to whom he narrated his observations in Cuba.

WASHINGTON, March 14.—Conditions appear to be quieter on the surface at the navy department today. Probably this was because Secretary Long, Captain Crowinshield, chief of the navigation bureau, Engineer in Chief Melville and other leading bureau officers of the department were called to the capitol during the forenoon to inform the appropriations committee of the needs of the naval service in the matter of legislation. In the various bureaus, however, there was a hum of industry and the work progressed as incessantly and steadily as for the past two weeks. The recruiting branch of the navy department is naturally one of the biggest branches of the service just now. It is in the temporary command of Captain Hemphill during the absence in the south of Captain Hawley and he was busy today with representatives of the railroads engaged in arranging for transportation of recruits to the sea board and of sailors already in the service from one port to another made necessary by the commission of new ships.

A problem that confronts the recruiting office is to procure the necessary force of enlisted men for manning the two ships which have been purchased from Brazil, the Amazon as and the Admiral Breu. The officers of the navigation bureau are making all arrangements for the speediest possible delivery of the two ships on this side of the Atlantic. It probably will require about 250 men for each ship and the question is whether these men shall be hired abroad in England under special arrangements for the one trip or whether a regular crew shall be sent out from the United States to bring them home. The first method is undoubtedly the quickest, but it will not be available in case there should be an open rupture before the completion of the two ships.

HOIST THE FLAG.

The Stars and Stripes on the Late Brazilian Ship.

WASHINGTON, March 14,—Orders have been sent to Commodore Howell, commanding the European station to send a force of men from the San Francisco to take possession of and hoist the United States flag on the Brazilian ship, that it is ready to go into commission at New Castle. This will prevent any difficulty in case hostilities should break out as the ship would be under the flag but lying in a friendly harbor.

FREE RIDES A CRIME.

Governor Pingree Issues a Proclamation on Passes.

DETROIT, Mich., March 14.—Governor Pingree has issued another proclamation regarding railroad passes, in which he declares their acceptance a crime under the laws of the state, and calls upon justices of the peace, prosecuting attorneys and judges of the higher courts to enforce the law and prosecute all violators of it.

He also calls upon the clergymen to stop accepting reduced rates, for the reason that it robs the school children, as the tax on earnings goes for educational purposes.

The governor concludes by saying it is useless to have laws unless they are enforced and obeyed.

A NEW ROAD.

Detroit and Toledo Will Have an Electric Line.

It Will be in Operation by September 1 and Will Do Freight and Passenger Business.

CHICAGO, March 14.—A new air line from Detroit to Toledo is to be built. Work on its construction has already begun and it is expected to be finished not later than September 1, and through trains may be running over it some time in August. While the road is to be built after the most approved patern of steam roads, the peculiar feature of it is it will be operated by electricity. In this respect it will be remarkable as being the first railroad of any consequence in this country to be operated by this motive power. John C. Shaffer, of this city, is the organizer of the new company. He has associated with him a syndicate of capitalists of Chicago, Pittsburg, and Detroit. A right of way for the entire distance between the two cities named has been surveyed and secured and part of the route has already been graded.

LOCAL LINES.

Abe Levy, of Levy Bros., of Barr street, left for New York and Boston on business.

The Lathers' union will meet tonight, and will meet regularly every Monday night hereafter.

Supreme Trustee Stroh, of the Order of Ben Hur, is in the city and will be the guest of the local order tonight.

Rezin Orr was in the city Saturday, en route to Roanoke and Columbia City, where he will visit a few days with relatives.

The board is holding a meeting in the health office this afternoon. The principal matter under consideration is the investigation to be made into the health of dairy cattle.

A petition for a brick pavement in the alley between Wayne and Washington streets, from Rockhill to College street, was filed with the board of public works this morning.

Mr. Levington informs THE SENTINEL that the young ladies who left his employ last Saturday did so on account of the discharge of a foreman and not because of an objectionable foreman.

JUDGED BY HIS POLISH.

It Is Not Always the Polished Gentleman Who Is the Gentleman of Real Polish.

The reporter had stopped in the office of the laundry to leave an order. As he came in a young man who might have come from New Jersey or Newfoundland passed out.

"He hasn't been in the city long," remarked the clerk, with a smile which was not wholly complimentary to the departed.

"Who is he?" inquired the reporter.

"Don't know; never saw him before in my life."

"How do you know he is new to the town?"

"He wanted a shine on his shirt, a polish on his linen, as Boston persons call it."

"Does newness in town have anything to do with it?"

"Does it?" and the clerk's tone indicated how sorry he was for the reporter's ignorance. "Well, I should say it did. When a man's been living in the city any time, he hasn't got any use for shiny shirt fronts and likewise the collars and cuffs that go with them. Take a yap from the raw districts, and the first thing he wants to put on when he strikes the town is a shirt he can see himself in the bosom of. Then he wants his cuffs to glisten to match, and his collar is a rank failure if it doesn't look like it had been soaked overnight in an enamel bath. That's for the first half dozen washes or so. Then he begins to think different, depending on the kind of society he trains with, and pretty soon he asks for a 'domestic finish,' and it ain't long after that until he begins to think that a shiny shirt front is something positively dreadful, and if we happen to get the least bit of a shine on his stuff he wants to slug somebody. A really and truly swell, don't you know, would a blamed sight rather be seen drunk at a social function than to be seen there wearing linen with a shine on it.

"Still there are some right nice men yet living who like to have shiny linen. They are mostly old fellows, and they like the shine because it looks cleaner after a little wear. Of course these old chaps are of the left overs, the style once being with everybody to have shiny linen. That's where the laundry ran out the washerwoman, who hadn't the machinery to shine with, and she lost her customers. She's coming in again though now, for the shine isn't the thing any more, and no machine laundering is equal to the hand work for real swell finish. The country laundry is yet doing the bulk of its work with a shine on, and the countryman, like the one you just saw go out, is known by the polish on his linen."—Detroit Free Press.

NO DOUBT NOW.

H. H. Reiter Was the Man Who Was Lost on the Desert.

Another Letter Received Today From A. M. Parke.

Will Forward the Son's Valise to George Reiter.

Mr. Reiter is Convinced That His Son is Dead, but Will Try to Get Further Facts From DeLamar, Nev.

George Reiter received another letter from A. M. Parke, of Aspen, Colo., giving further particulars of the mysterious disappearance of his son, Henry Harrison Reiter.

Mr. Parke was satisfied with the identification and has forwarded Harrison's valise, which Mr. Reiter had not received at noon today.

Mr. Parke says that with Reiter were two brothers named Fisk, and another person whose name was to him unknown. They left DeLamar, Nev., together, became separated, and the stranger found his way back to DeLamar. He got together a searching party and found the Fisk brothers, but could get no trace of Harrison. Mr. Parke married a sister of the Fisks, and in this way became interested in the story. The fourth man of the party has gone to Alaska and the letter intimates that Harrison may have gotten through to Vanderbilt, Cala., but the chances were all against him. Mr. Reiter does not believe that his son is alive, but will probably write to the officers at DeLamar in the hopes of getting some facts other than those given by Mr. Parke.

ELEVEN BURNED TO DEATH

Cremated in An Early Morning Blaze in a Lodging House in New York.

NEW YORK, March 14.—Eleven lodgers in the Bowery Mission lodging house, conducted at 105 Bowery by the Christian Herald, were burned to death in the fire which practically ruined the three upper floors of the five-story structure early Sunday morning. The others of the 150 occupants escaped by the stairways or were taken down on ladders by the firemen when unable to climb down the fire escapes.

So many bodies were found by the firemen and the policemen in the early stages of the search that it was estimated over forty persons had been killed. The officers, however, fortunately overestimated the loss of life. It is thought by the police that only one of the eleven bodies will be identified. This one is disignated as No. 10. It was found in a room on the fifth floor. In the same room there was a satchel, and it is thought its contents may lead to identification of the body.

The loss on the building is estimated at $7,000, and the contents are damaged to the extent of $5,000. The loss is covered by insurance. The building belongs to the Chester estate.

HACKNEY IS FAVORED.

Indiana Gold Democrats Will Support the Supreme Court Jurist.

INDIANAPOLIS, March 14.—The fight being made upon Judge Hackney of the supreme court by some of the free silver leaders has resulted in a decided sentiment among gold democrats to place him upon their judicial ticket, or, if he is nominated by the regular democracy to indorse him and the other two democratic judges.

While Judge McCabe was a delegate to the Chicago convention, and represented Indiana on the platform committee, the gold democrats say he is a candidate for a nonpolitical office and should be judged by his record as a judge and not by his record as a politician, and they can, therefore, consistently place him and Judges Hackney and Howard upon their judicial ticket.

Under the new law the name of a candidate can appear but once on the official ballot, and if the three judges are nominated by the free silver wing they will likely be indorsed by the gold democrats.

GAS WASTERS ENJOINED.

Five of Standard Oil Company's Wells Are Plugged.

ANDERSON, Ind., March 14.—Late Saturday night Judge McClure granted the first injunctions under the ruling of the supreme court, which upheld the constitutionality of the anti-waste natural gas laws. The injunctions shut off five of the Standard's oil wells in this county which are blowing off gas. They were plugged yesterday.

The Ohio Oil company is also plugging all of its wells and other operators are doing the same thing in order to head off injunction suit costs. By tonight it is thought the oil industry in the Indiana gas belt will be entirely closed.

State Gas Inspector Leach began a flying tour of the gas belt today under orders from Governor Mount, and will use the injunction freely and shut off every oil well that is wasting gas.

GREAT GOLD LEDGE FOUND.

Remarkable Discovery in Harquahale Mountains, Ari.

PHOENIX, Ari., March 14.—Michael Fitzpatrick, from the Harquahale mountains, brings news of the discovery by him of one of the most wonderful gold ledges of Arizona, a statement that is apparently borne out by the specimens at hand.

Fitzpatrick says that shortly after he made the discovery three men who had been working a copper claim near by raided his claim with shotguns and drove him from the place.

Fitzpatrick and an officer will leave shortly for the mine.

TO THE GROUND

Was the Alabama Saw Mill of Aurentz Brothers Burned.

Bad Luck of Former Fort Wayne Residents--Loss Estimated at More Than $40,000.

A dispatch from Decatur, Ala., says:

"Saturday evening at 6 o'clock fire broke out in the engine room of George Arantz's Sons' large saw mills. Before fire companies could get there the fire was beyond control. The whole mill property is destroyed at a loss of $40,000. Arantz Brothers located here in 1881 with the largest band saw mills in Alabama. They shipped lumber to England for the English navy and furnished the quartered oak that went into W. H. Vanderbilt's New York residence. They employed over 200 men, who will be thrown out of work. Fifty thousand dollars' worth of lumber stacked in the yard was saved."

The owners of the mill are sons of Philip Aurentz, of East Washington street, and formerly resided in Fort Wayne. About seventeen or eighteen years ago the brothers, Frank, George, William and one other left the Summit City and established themselves in business in the growing south and are now among the south's enterprising citizen's. Relatives in Fort Wayne had heard nothing of the loss of the mill until informed by THE SENTINEL reporter. A. C., S. A., Robert and Al. Aurentz are cousins of the Alabama brothers.

DEATHS AND FUNERALS.

Sunday morning at 7 o'clock occurred the death of Barbara Seiler, aged 71 years. Mrs. Seiler was one of the oldest residents Adams township, having arrived in this county from Germany fifty-five years ago. A week ago last Saturday she came to Fort Wayne to attend church, stopping at the home of her son-in-law at 177 Madison street. Sunday the lady became quite ill and was not able to be taken home, death claiming her one week later. Mrs. Seiler leaves six children as follows: Peter, Joseph and Frank, of Adams township; Mary, of this city; Mrs. Jacob Hoffman, of Marion township, and Mrs. Anthony Nusbaum. Twenty-two grandchildren and six great-grandchildren also survive her. The funeral will occur Wednesday morning at 9 a. m. from the residence, and at 9:30 from St. Mary's Catholic church.

MARTIN.

Salamanca A., eight-months-old child of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Martin, died Sunday afternoon of bronchitis, at the home of the parents, No. 206 West Washington street. The funeral will occur Wednesday morning at 8:30 from the house and half an hour later from the Cathedral.

TANIUS.

Early this morning, at Hope hospital, occurred the death of Amelia Tanius, aged twenty-nine years. Death resulted from peritonitis. The remains were taken to the home of deceased parents, Mr. and Mrs. Engert Huhn, 236 Smith street. The lady leaves four children. The funeral will probably occur Wednesday.

CRAWFORD.

The remains of Nellie Blanche Crawford arrived in the city Sunday evening from Cleveland, Ohio, and the funeral occurred this afternoon from Cavalry U. B. church, Rev. Ballinger officiating.

BROWN.

James E. Brown, of 270 East Lewis street, has gone to Nevada, Ohio, where his mother, Mrs. Joseph Brown, died last night. The deceased was the grandmother of Mrs. L. G. Dailey, of West Williams street, but that lady is ill and will be unable to attend the funeral.

DOLAN.

The remains of Albert E. Dolan arrived in the city from Chicago and were taken to the home of Dennis McKering, No. 74 Walnut street. The funeral occurred this morning.

ARMSTRONG.

Sunday morning at the home of his daughter, Mrs. C. L. Crume, occurred the death of Lewis Armstrong, aged eighty years. Death resulted from accomplication of diseases superinduced by old age. The funeral occurs tomorrow afternoon.

H. F. Mote, of Montpelier, Ind., is in the city, and will attend an open meeting held under the auspices of Barbers' union No. 14, at their hall over 41 West Main street, this evening. The subject of the address of Mr. Mote will be the barbers' license bill. A convention composed of delegates from all the local barbers' unions of the state will be held next Monday at Anderson. All barbers, whether bosses or journeymen, are expected to be present. A representative to the convention at Anderson will be chosen tonight.

The Laundry Workers' union will meet this evening.

IMPORTANT RULING.

Liquor License Case Decided by Judge O'Rourke.

License Must Date From the Day it is Issued.

Justice of the Peace Hears a Divorce Suit.

Criminal Cases Set for Trial--Damage Suit Argued--The News of the Courts.

Today in the circuit court Judge O'Rourke rendered an important decision in a liquor license case and it will have an important bearing on a question that has greatly vexed the city and county authorities. Judge O'Rourke's ruling in substance holds that the one year term of a liquor license begins on the day it is granted by the board of county commissioners and not on the day when the bond is given by the applicant to the county auditor and the license taken out. The suit on which the decision was rendered was the case of the state vs. Paul Laible. License was granted to Laible by the commissioners January 4, 1897. He did not take out his license until April 10, following. Last February Liable was arrested at the instance of Prosecutor Doughman for selling liquor without a license. He was tried before Justice France and fined $20 and costs. An appeal was taken to the circuit court, the defendant holding that his license did not expire until a year from the date on which it issued. He set forth that he had been arrested twice before he took out his license for having none and that he was entitled to a year's protection under the grant. Judge O'Rourke held that the state could not contemplate any penalty he had suffered by his own negligence and that it was utterly impossible that the statute should contemplate the investiture of the applicant with the right to determine when the term of his license should begin and end. That power was vested solely in the county commissioners. The city and county has had much trouble from saloon men who have held contrary to this view of the matter and Judge O'Rourke's decision is therefore important. Laible stayed the docket for about $17. The case may be appealed to the supreme court and a final ruling secured.

DIVORCE IN JUSTICE COURT.

The story comes from Monroeville that Justice McCormick, of Monroe township has enlarged his jurisdiction and has sat in judgment in a divorce suit. Mrs. Luther Taylor and her liege lord, having domestic infelicities, the wife decided to follow the fashion and get a divorce. She brought her suit in Justice McCormick's court. Judge McCormick, not being certain of his jurisdiction, would not enter a decree annulling the marriage, but sat as arbitrator, and after hearing the evidence, counseled the parties to divide their domestic belongings and separate. This was done. To the judge's ineffable disgust, however, the pair, after three days' separate existence, decided they could dwell less happily apart than together and moved in beneath the same rooftree. This is probably the first instance in the annals of Indiana courts where a divorce suit was brought in a justice court.

CRIMINAL CASES SET.

The following criminal cases have been set for trial in the circuit court:

Lewis Wiley, petit larceny, Tuesday.

William Wallace, assault and battery with intent to kill, Wednesday.

John Zaner, obtaining money by false pretence, Thursday.

OTHER COURT NOTES.

The suit of Judge S. M. Hench vs. Richard Klein, the furrier, for $150 attorney's fees, is on trial in the circuit court. It is developing some interesting testimony that if true is extremely comprising of the defendant.

The argument of council in the damage suit of Ulmer vs. Geake & Henry is in progress in the superior court. The case will go to the jury tomorrow.

William Reemer has sued Frederick Wierston, et al., in the circuit court for possession of real estate and damages.

In the circuit court Hannah M. Galloway, et al., has commenced suit against Simon M. Galloway, et al., for partition of real estate.

In the superior court the Keeley Brewing company has sued George M. Stier for $1,000 on note and accounts.

Henry Lagemann has commenced suit in the superior court for divorce from Ella Lagemann.

LICENSED TO WED.

Lawrence B. West and Grace L. Conover.

William J. Stirlen and Blanche Baker.

LIKE THEIR PASTOR.

St. Paul M. E. Church Ask for the Return of Rev. M. C. Cooper.

The congregation of St. Paul M. E. church have unanimously asked for the return of their pastor, Rev. M. C. Cooper. At the regular evening services Sunday, Dr. C. B. Stemen preached, and at the close of his sermon requested all the members of the church who approved the labors of Rev. Cooper and desired his return, to rise to their feet. All stood up. Rev. Cooper is now serving his eighth year as pastor of a Methodist church in Fort Wayne. He was for two years in charge of Simpson church and then had St. Paul church for four years. Two years ago he returned to St. Paul's, and it is probable that the wishes of his congregation will be acceded to by the conference. Rev. Cooper enjoys a distinction enjoyed by few pastors in his church, having served one congregation so long.

CUPID IMPATIENT.

March Purloins a Wedding From June.

Grace L. Conover Married to Lawrence B. West--A Pleasant Surprise to Their Friends.

To-day at noon, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Norton Conover, 154 Harrison street, occurred the marriage of Grace L. Conover to Lawrence B. West, of Louisville, Ky. Rev. L. L. Henson, pastor of the First Baptist church, performed the ceremony.

There is a pleasant flavor of romance in the felicitous event, and it involves the story of an impatient lover, a willing fiancee, a quickly arranged ceremony and a union of two fond hearts and the blending of two devoted lives in the sacred bonds of wedlock.

The friends of the bride were aware that her troth had been plighted to Mr. West, but the bridal day had been set for June, the month that lovers and poets have singled out of time for Cupid's busy season. Mr. West came to the city Saturday to visit his fiancee over Sunday and it was yesterday that the impatient lover prevailed upon the bride-elect to consent to an immediate wedding.

The arrangements were kept a secret until this forenoon. At 11:30 Mr. Conover, father of the bride, was summoned home from his duties as foreman of THE SENTINEL job rooms, and was then first made aware of the impending event. Only the immediate family of the bride were present when the ceremony was solemnized. The bride was prettily attired in a traveling costume. Immediately after the wedding the happy couple took their departure over the Pennsylvania road for Chicago, where they will be the guests a few days of Mrs. West, mother of the groom, after which they will proceed to Louisville, their future home.

The bride is a charming and cultured young lady and a favorite in a large circle of friends in this city. She is a graduate of the Fort Wayne high school and has for three years been a teacher in the public schools. This morning she tendered to Trustee Schmetzer, of Wayne township, her resignation as teacher of the Philley school, on the Decatur road, where she has been employed this winter. Mr. West is superintendent for the Barber Asphalt company and has an extensive acquaintanceship in Fort Wayne. He is a rising young business man, with a promising future. A host of surprised friends will make haste to congratulate the newly wedded pair.

SONS OF ERIN.

They Will Celebrate St. Patrick's Day in Grand Style.

A Grand Parade Through the Streets in the Morning and Later Services at the Cathedral.

The Hibernians met yesterday and completed arrangements for the celebration of St. Patrick's day. In the morning at 8 o'clock there will be a grand parade, headed by the full City band, Mayor Scherer and Sheriff Melching included.

First in the line of march will be the Hibernian Rifles, next will be the county board of the A. O. H., division No. 1, A. O. H.; division No. 3, A. O. H., and then following, citizens on foot. At 10 o'clock Rev. Wimsey will deliver a sermon at the Cathedral.

The following line of march has been decided upon: Form on Lewis street, east to Clinton, north to Washington, east to Barr, north to Berry, west to Broadway, south to Jefferson, east to Griffith, south on Griffith and Fairfield to DeWald, east to Calhoun, north to Library hall.

At 10:30 Bishop Rademacher will celebrate pontifical high mass.

Councilmen McMahon and Glenn, of the council election committee, this morning met and selected inspectors for the several election districts. They are making a tour of the districts this afternoon selecting voting places. Many of the old inspectors were re-appointed and the voters will also cast their ballots in the same places as heretofore wherever possible.

There will be a free demonstration of the Velox paper from 2 to 4 p. m. tomorrow at the Kodak store of M. L. Jones, 44 Calhoun street. All amatour photographers are invited.

Our tables are now covered with novelties in men's and boys' spring suits and light box overcoats.
REUBEN S. PATTERSON.

SWIFT'S SPECIFIC

is far ahead of any blood remedy on the market, for it does so much more. Besides removing impurities, and toning up the run-down system, it cures any blood disease. It matters not how deep-seated or obstinate, which other so-called blood remedies fail to reach. It is a real blood remedy for real blood diseases.

Mr. Asa Smith, of Greencastle, Ind., writes: "I had such a bad case of Sciatic Rheumatism that I became absolutely helpless—unable to take my food or handle myself in any way. I took many patent medicines, but they did not reach my trouble. One dozen bottles of S. S. S. cured me sound and well, and I now weigh 170."

Books on blood and skin diseases mailed free by Swift Specific Company, Atlanta, Ga.

The Evening Sentinel.

BY E. A. K. HACKETT.

MONDAY, MARCH 14, 1898.

TONIGHT.

Lodges—Sol D. Bayless lodge; Fort Wayne lodge, No. 14, I. O. O. F.; Phoenix, K. of P.; Ben Hur court, No. 15; Ben Hur court, No. 15; Modern Woodmen, No. 4761.

Ladies G. A. R.—G. W. Stirk circle, No. 18.

True Blue Hall—Twelve o'clock social.

Barbers' Union—Regular meeting.

Bricklayers' Union — Regular meeting.

West Creighton Avenue Church—Church History, class meets.

Carpenters' Union—Regular meeting at hall, 54 East Main street.

Baptist Guards—Regular meeting.

Lathers—Regular meeting.

Laundry Workers—Regular meeting.

Masonic Temple—Attractions for the week:

Tuesday—Gen. J. B. Gordon, lecture.

Wednesday — Frances Wilson in "Half a King."

Thursday—Stuart Robson in "The Jucklins."

In the event of war there is likely to be a fresh impetus given to the rush for Klondike.

As that fifty million melts away the more positive becomes the opinions of certain newspapers that there will be no war with Spain. Mr. McKinley will soon discover that eternal vigilance is the price of his administration's good repute. The hurried expenditure of $50,000,000 in an emergency like the present is bound to be fruitful of more or less scandal.

THE insurrection against the Spanish power in the Philippines, which was reported suppressed, has broken out again more actively than before, and wherever any people are in revolt against Spain they receive the sympathy of outsiders. Over a considerable portion of the globe at present the production of the Spanish flag is received with hisses and of any insargent flag with cheers.

IN the town of Churubusco the Women's Christian Temperance union has just completed a successful campaign against the saloons. The ladies adopted a rational procedure and did not rely on the doubtful force of abstract sentiment. They presented to the Whitley county commissioners remonstrances from the necessary number of resident property holders as provided by the Nicholson law and prevented the issue of any license for saloons in their town. Churubusco will be without a saloon for the first time in many years, if such a condition has ever existed there heretofore.

AFTER an investigation which consumed all told about half a working day the Spanish court of inquiry is enabled to report that the Maine was destroyed by an accidental explosion that occurred within her hull. No Spanish diver has ever been inside the dismantled hull of the Maine and so far as the Spanish court of inquiry has learned anything from direct investigation it is as ignorant as the verest land-lubber who can not tell a warship from a circus balloon. However, the report of the Spanish court will answer as the basis of contention of any demands the United States may make for indemnity and that seems to have been the purpose.

AN unmistakable sign of the throughness of the preparations for war with Spain, it is claimed by naval officers, is the placing by Secretary of the navy Long of a large order for quills for the Key West naval station. These quills were designed by Professor Marion of the United States naval academy, and are for use in connection with a messenger pigeon service to be at once established at Key West. The quills are attached to the birds and are to contain messages. The pigeons are to be put on the ships of Admiral Sicard's squadron and established in a cote at the naval station, so that they can be used to carry messages back and forth to the ships when they are at sea off the coast of Cuba.

THE liquor traffic will not be in the least benefited by the plea made in its behalf by the Rev. Mr. Eierman, pastor of an Evangelical church in Cincinnati. The saloon is not in need of any moral aid, least of all from the pulpit. It is doing well. It is growing and flourishing nearly everywhere and is performing its purpose and object, which is not, as some of its volunteer and foolish champions like the Rev. Mr. Eirman asserts, to fulfill the law and afford a high grade of social enjoyment, but to sell drinks and make money for the proprietors. The saloon is not asking for clerical assistance, and it is not part of the business of the man who is pointing his hearers to the New Jerusalem to recommend any resort kept by "Mike" or "Charley." There is no preacher in the land who can bring together two things that are as far apart as the pulpit and the dram-shop.—Kansas City Star.

THE nations of Europe are opening their eyes in wonder at the display of energy by the United States in its preparations for war and the disclosure of our marvelous resources. The appropriation of $50,000,000 to begin preparation, the purchase of immense stores of munitions and ordnance, the enlistment of men for army and navy, the negotiation for the purchase of foreign warships at once and for cash, the rushing of warships into commission and the refitting of scores of older vessels, the completion and manning of coast defenses and the rearrangement of military departments have all enforced upon the outside world that the United States, while not a bellicose nation, is not unprepared for war nor afraid of hostilities. The object lesson will be studied by other nations than Spain.

THE Emperor William II has just had two packs of cards made after his own design and, as may be imagined, they are very peculiar. Instead of the traditional figures, the kings and queens are represented by sovereigns at present reigning in Europe. For the knaves the emperor, with questionable taste, has chosen the features of the principal ministers of the German empire. The king of hearts is Leopold II, king of Belgium, in allusion to his well-known gallantry; the king of diamonds, Humbert I, of Italy, from his taste for diamonds; the king of spades, the Emperor Nicholas of Russia, and the king of clubs, his imperial majesty himself. The queen of hearts is Queen Victoria, the queen of diamonds, Queen Margherita of Italy; the queen of spades, the czarina, and the queen of clubs, not the emperor's own wife, but the Empress Elizabeth of Austria. There are only two sets of these cards in existence. They were made at the imperial manufactory of Altenburg, near Berlin.

Stop It—Stop It Now.

This enlightened nation can not escape the duties and responsibilities that civilization and Christianity impose. In the name of all the humanities, let the United States try a halt upon the monstrous iniquities of Spanish rule in Cuba. Too much blood has been consecrated to freedom in the western hemisphere to allow it tolerable to freemen that tyranny may exact the awful tribute of a thousand lives a day and render no account.

Armed conflict in Cuba is costing but few lives. Spanish policy is wiping out at the appalling rate of 100 per hour the lives of peaceable men, helpless women and innocent babes. Starvation and pestilence, hell-born horrors a thousand fold more poignant than all the multiplied plagues of war, have transformed the Cuban towns, in which the populace is herded, into death-pens where each new day beholds fresh hecatombs borne unshrived, unshrouded and uncoffined to charnal-trenches reeking with the dead already there.

For over a year has this frightful and inhuman decimation been in progress. More than half a million human beings from whose bodies life has been racked by famine or fever is Spain's token of the beneficence of her rule in Cuba.

The present ministry of Spain is doing no better in Cuba than the ministry it succeeded. Its scheme of autonomous government for the island is a fraud, a lie, a crime. No promised reforms have fruited and none were intended. The pledge was the pledge of the Spaniard, therefore treacherous, and Spanish treachery is another term for death.

Want and pestilence will stalk, rapine hold forth and butchery reign to the last dismal hour that Spain can keep her grasp upon the island. Cuba's days will dawn dark with clouds that drip blood so long as Spain can raise a doubloon by the pawn of a royal perquisite or conscript human fiends to recruit her soldiery.

The conflict Spain is waging in Cuba long since ceased to be a war of suppression against an armed revolt. It has become an indiscriminate and diabolical slaughter of the unarmed and defenseless—the extirpation of a people.

It should be stopped and stopped now.

Every day the government of the United States withholds its hand from intervention it becomes more closely an accessory to this capital crime against civilized humanity.

Upon this republic rests the natural duty of driving the Spaniard from Cuban soil. Such duty cannot be escaped, and those responsible cannot avert the consequences of delay.

The bartenders formed a permanent organization at a meeting held yesterday afternoon. Another meeting will be held Tuesday evening, by which time the charter will be here and the officers will be installed. The meeting will be held corner of Calhoun and Superior streets.

Quality The Highest, Prices The Lowest.

Lehman's

Open Saturday Evenings Until 10:30.

"When a Nation's Life's at Hazzard

We've no time to think of men," wrote the colonial poet. But we're thinking of men, and men only, now and all the time. Our marvelously successful Clearance Sale proves it. It's going on now. Don't miss it if you know a superb bargain when you see it.

Men's All-Wool $10 and $12 Suits for $7.98.

Men's High-Grade All-Wool Suits, that sold regularly for $10 and $12, are this week offered for $7.98—handsome cheviots and cassimeres, double warp serge lining, best tailoring throughout, greatest offer in Fort Wayne today or any other day—and for the next ten days only they go for **$7.98**

Great bargains in Men's Finest Suits, (black clay worsteds excepted), that sold all season for $14, $15 and $18—take them for the next 10 days—finest foreign and domestic fabrics, strictly all wool, in plaids, checks, stripes and fancy mixtures, cut in fashion—a splendid opportunity to get a $14, 15 and $18 suit for **$11.98**

Grand clearing away of Men's Fine Winter Overcoats, strictly all kerseys, blue and black, silk velvet collars, silk sleeve linings, raw edges—we are preparing for the spring trade and now offer our handsome $15 Overcoats for just about half their previous price—only **$9.00**

Men's Advance Spring Overcoats, new styles, new shades, new stock, everything new, elegant box cut in all wool covert cloth and whipcords, you need but to examine our mammoth stock to make your spring purchase—they are excellent values and excellent bargains at $7.50, $10.00, $12.00 and **$15.00**

MEN'S TROUSERS.

Men's black cheviot Trousers, all-wool broken plaids, hairlines and neat stripes, regular $2.50 value, now offered at Lehman's for **$1.50**

Men's cheviot and cassimere Trousers, pure all wool, neat, desirable patterns, all sizes, most excellent $3.00 values, at Lehman's for **$1.98**

Men's worsted and cassimere Trousers, all wool plaids, checks and stripes, neat and nobby patterns, regular prices $5 and $6—tomorrow and the next ten days for **$4.00**

Most extensive line of BOYS' CONFIRMATION SUITS in the city. Workmanship, quality and value unsurpassed. Our representatives will not call at your home--but guarantee you a saving of 15 to 20 per cent. by calling at our store.

Lehman's 34 & 36 CALHOUN ST.

IN MEMORY OF 1798.

Centenary of Irish Rebellion Celebrated in Dublin.

Great Crowds in the City and Fully 30,000 Persons Take Part in the Phoenix Park Exercises.

DUBLIN, March 14.—Fully 30,000 persons assembled in Phoenix park Sunday to take part in the first celebration of the centenary of the Irish rebellion of 1798. Many special trains were run from distant parts of the country and brought large numbers of persons to the city. Organized societies marched to the park headed by bands of music, there being twenty bands thus employed. American, French and Irish flags were displayed in abundance. Four platforms had been erected in the park, one for each of the Irish provinces—Ulster, Munster, Leinster and Connaught—and around these the crowds gathered to listen to speeches.

Among the speakers was John O'Leary, who declared that every enemy of England was a friend of Ireland. Other speakers spoke in a similar vein. The proceedings were marked by no disorder, and the services of the police who were present were not required. This was the first of a series of demonstrations which will include visits to the battle fields of the rebellion, after the arrival of the American and colonial pilgrims, who are expected to take part in the celebration.

DENIES CONFESSION.

Alleged Murderer Repudiates Document His Lawyer is Trying to Sell.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 14.—The Examiner says that a remarkable incident has developed in the case of Albert Hoff, the aged Russian who is now on trial for the murder of Miss Mary Chute. Two attorneys of this city, Benj. W. McIntosh and Edgar B. Haymond, are trying to sell an alleged confession of the man who is on trial for his life. The lawyers insist that they are acting as agents for Hoff.

They declare that the prisoner will take nothing less than $2,000 for his self accusation. The confession, it is represented, was made to McIntosh, who is defending Hoff in court. It is characterized as an unqualified oleographic confession of not more than three hundred words of the murder of Mrs. Chute. Albert Hoff denies with all the vehemence he can command that he has ever made a confession or ever intends to do so.

HALF AND HALF.

Not All of Hawaii's "Best Citizens" Want Annexation.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 14.—Benjamin Cluff, jr., president of the Brigham Young academy at Provo, Utah, returned from a visit to the Hawaiian Islands where he went at the solicitation of United States Senator Frank J. Cannon to determine the status of the annexation sentiment among the Hawaiian Islands. He speaks the language fluently and has made a thorough canvass among the natives of the islands of Oahua, Maui and Hilo. He said:

"As a result of my investigation, I would say that probably one-half of the intelligent natives of the islands are pronounced advocates of annexation; of the remaining one-half, I would say the great majority are, primarily, in favor of the restoration of the monarcy, and secondly, they much prefer annexation to the United States to a continuation of the present government."

CHARGES CONSPIRACY.

Murderer Under Penitentiary Sentence Released on Parole.

LEBANON, Ind., March 14.—Benjamine Farley, convicted of murder and sentenced to twenty-one years in the penitentiary, has been released on parole. Farley killed Alexander Stewart during a quarrel six years ago.

On his trial the defendant claimed he was the victim of a conspiracy promoted by Stewart's wife and one John Smith. The purpose of this was to involve Farley and Stewart in trouble, with a view to Stewart being killed, so that Smith and Mrs. Stewart could marry.

This contention had many supporters and was given color by the marriage of the couple, which occurred a few days after the murder. Farley's conviction was unexpected and many prominent citizens have interested themselves in his behalf. He is over 70 years of age.

ZOARITES BREAK UP.

Separatists Abandon Their Society and Divide Property.

TOLEDO, March 14.—Today the separatists of Zoar abandon their communistic ideas, and the ninety-two surviving members of the colony will come into possession in severalty of the 7,000 acres of improved farm lands held by the society.

This marks the end of the society founded by Jacob Bimeler and imported to this country in 1815. At that time it numbered 500 souls, who for years afterward lived as retired as possible from the world, with only the day's labor as the measure of their wealth.

Lately the younger generation has grown restless, and after long wrangling the division of property has been agreed upon. Zoar is southeast of this city, on the Wheeling and Lake Erie railway.

FLOODS IN ONTARIO.

Great Damage Done by Overflow of Grand and Thames Rivers.

TORONTO, Ont., March 14.—Dispatches from western Ontario tell of the overflow of the Grand and Thames rivers, causing serious damage along their valleys. Sections of London, Brantford and Galt are completely submerged to a depth of from five to seven feet. In London 1,500 people are homeless, having been driven from their homes. Bridges and buildings were swept away by the rushing torrents. In Brantford firemen and citizens fought the raging waters all of yesterday, but were finally beaten out; and West Brantford is a regular lake. At Galt a heavy loss was sustained by the business people. The ice jam in the Grand River gave way, and the flood following it tore away bridges, trees and wrecked a number of factories and private residences.

BASE BALL.

The Schedule Meeting at Springfield Today.

Work Will be Commenced on the New Grounds as Soon as the Weather Permits--Beck Released.

The schedule committee of the Inter-State league is in session at Springfield, Ohio, today. The season will commence about the 25th of April.

THE NEW GROUNDS.

The Athletic club had intended commencing work on the new park today, but the wet weather would not permit. As soon as the ground dries out somewhat the work of leveling the diamond and bicycle track will immediately commence, probably tomorrow.

BECK RELEASED.

A telegram today announces that Manager Tebeau has released Beck, the former Toledo second baseman. His physicial condition is such that Pat did not believe he would get into league form. Beck has been given permission to train with the Clevelands until April 1.

NOTES.

"Roaring Bill" Hassamaer has been offered the management of the North Baltimore team of the Wood county, Ohio, league for the coming season and overtures from Mansfield have been made to him to play third base.

The Toledo base ball team will make its first appearance this season in a new uniform of a very pretty design. The suits will be navy blue with white trimmings and stockings and belts of maroon. In addition the players will wear on the bench double breasted maroon jackets.

All positions on the Toledo team have been filled except one. Manager Strobel has no second baseman. The position will be left vacant until after the 15th of next month in the hopes that Beck may come back. Cargo, who played Inter-State ball last season is available, and Frank Foreman, of Baltimore, has written to Manager Strobel recommending a fast youngster. Then there is "Roaring Bill" Hassamaer.

George Kelb, the new south paw, of the Cleveland team, who was formerly with Toledo, has been in some of the exhibition games down at Hot Springs and reports of his work are decidedly encouraging. Kelb may be called on to help out Young and Powell in the games played in April and May, as Captain Tebeau is anxious to hold back Cuppy until all doubts about the soundness of his arm have been removed.

The opening game of the season in Mansfield will be April 15 with the Milwaukee team of the Western league. The members of the Mansfield team will report for practice April 10. All the men have been signed except three. President Power presented the matter of these three men to the national board at the St. Louis meeting and all were awarded to the Mansfield club. They will either have to play with the Mansfield club or not play at all.

Grand Rapids Herald: "Manager Torreyson, of Grand Rapids, agrees to guarantee $50 a game, which is $10 more than any other team in the Inter-State league, the others making the minimum. Manager Strobel, of Toledo, says the Michigan city should not be expected to pay more than any other town, and is not in favor of the advance made, especially from Grand Rapids. Mr. Strobel says he is very well satisfied to have the change made, as he considers Grand Rapids a better ball town than Wheeling, and says the change will make faster ball teams."

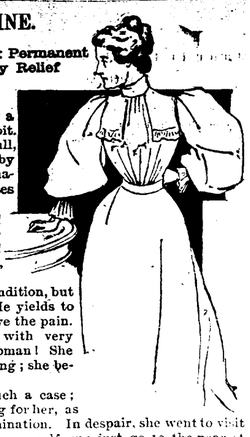
William A. Brady has become an Eastern League magnate, and Jim Corbett will forsake the stage for the diamond this summer. Brady and Charles White, formerly president of the Eastern League, have purchased the Scranton franchise and transferred it to Rochester. Corbett's manager has announced that Corbett will be Rochester's regular first baseman. Last summer the pugilist traveled around the country and played with various teams as a drawing card for holiday occasions. His work was fair and he is well up to the minor league standard for an infielder.

Ladies Indoor Cycle Race.

The ladies 6-day-12-hour bicycle races which are scheduled to be run off at the Princess rink, commencing Monday, March 21, continuing for one week, have already jumped into popular favor, and if the interest now manifested in this forthcoming exhibition is any criterion, it will be the biggest success of its kind ever witnessed in this city. Negotiations are now pending between Miss Tillie Anderson, Helen Baldwin, Dottie Farnsworth, May Allen, Daisy Mullen, Mabel Raymond, Lulu Young and other noted bicycle celebrities to ride in the races here next week. It is expected by the promoters that this race will be the greatest of its kind that has been promoted yet this year. The track will be built this week and the riders will be in active training Friday and Saturday, and on Saturday afternoon the public is invited to witness them, and also the track, which in itself is a curiosity. The prizes aggregate $400 divided into six purses and 240 miles must be ridden to receive any portion of the prizes. Trick riding is a prominent feature; also continuous band concerts. The management particularly desire to impress upon the public of Fort Wayne, in language most forcible,

BEWARE OF MORPHINE.

Mrs. Pinkham Asks Women to Seek Permanent Cures and Not Mere Temporary Relief From Pain.



Special forms of suffering lead many a woman to acquire the morphine habit. One of these forms of suffering is a dull, persistent pain in the side, accompanied by heat and throbbing. There is disinclination to work, because work only increases the pain.

This is only one symptom of a chain of troubles; she has others she cannot bear to confide to her physician, for fear of an examination, the terror of all sensitive, modest women.

The physician, meantime, knows her condition, but cannot combat her shrinking terror. He yields to her supplication for something to relieve the pain. He gives her a few morphine tablets, with very grave caution as to their use. Foolish woman! She thinks morphine will help her right along; she becomes its slave!

A wise and generous physician had such a case; he told his patient he could do nothing for her, as she was too nervous to undergo an examination. In despair, she went to visit a friend. She said to her, "Don't give yourself up; just go to the nearest druggist's and buy a bottle of Mrs. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It will build you up. You will begin to feel better with the first bottle." She did so, and after the fifth bottle her health was re-established. Here is her own letter about it:

"I was very miserable; was so weak that I could hardly get around the house, could not do any work without feeling tired out. My monthly periods had stopped and I was so tired and nervous all of the time. I was troubled very much with falling of the womb and bearing-down pains. A friend advised me to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound; I have taken five bottles, and think it is the best medicine I ever used. Now I can work, and feel like myself. I used to be troubled greatly with my head, but I have had no bad headaches or palpitation of the heart, womb trouble or bearing-down pains, since I commenced to take Mrs. Pinkham's medicine. I gladly recommend the Vegetable Compound to every suffering woman. The use of one bottle will prove what it can do."—MRS. LUCY PEASLEY, Derby Center, Vt.

that there is not an objectionable feature that would offend the most fastidious, and that is their reason for throwing open the doors on Saturday afternoon for the public to witness the riders and judge of their respective merits free of charge. The race proper starts at 8:15 Monday evening, March 21st.

HE IS WEALTHY.

But Delights in Beating His Way on Trains.

Superintendent Gorsline Finds That M. L. Boughman is Quite Rich--Fined $3 and Costs--Police News.

THE SENTINEL Saturday mentioned the fact that one Buchman was being held by Superintendent Gorsline as a suspect. His correct name is M. L. Boughman and the superintendent wrote to his home, Orrville, Ohio, and replies received state that Boughman is the owner of several farms, on one of which is a big coal bank. He is a veterinary surgeon and his income each day amounts to considerable. He has a hobby of riding on freight trains and is strictly opposed to paying railroad fare. Detective Nicely picked the man up on the Pennsylvania right-of-way last Friday and on his person was found almost $100 in money and a draft for $50. The fellow told conflicting stories and the officers naturally were suspicious of him. When Mayor Scherer heard the story this morning he assessed a fine of $3 and costs, which Boughman paid and left the court room.

Arthur Gaylord, a drunk arrested by Officer Collins, was given a lecture by his honor, and was allowed his liberty on a promise of better behavior. He is a young fellow.

William Frantz, arrested by Officer Greer for drunkenness, was sent to jail for eleven days.

Dennis J. Daughty and Frank Brown, vagrants arrested by Officer Madden, were sent over for fifteen days each.

Paul Dunker, arrested by Dectective Dinger for trespass, was given eleven days.

Emma Sowers accumulated a few pints too much Saturday night, and occupied so much of Columbia street in her meanderings that Sergeant Harkenrider escorted her to the police station to sleep off the "jag." She was followed by several men, one of whom, William Beyers, was arrested. Mayor Scherer sent the Sowers woman over to jail for fifteen days, and released Beyers after he explained that he did not even know the woman.

POLICE NOTES.

Patrol Driver Henry Reichart went on the day trick today noon and Joe Doyle resumes his old place as night man.

Illinois relatives are making inquiries for one William McPherson, who is supposed to be in or about Fort Wayne. They have some valuable information for him.

NORTHERN INDIANA NOTES.

A party of five left South Bend Saturday for Klondike.

The building in which the Bristol Banner was published was destroyed and the newspaper plant was badly damaged.

A mail car on the Lake Shore road caught fire in the depot yards at Laporte and several tons of second class matter were destroyed.

The Fulton county commissioners have notified the authorities of the town of Rochester that hereafter tramps cannot be lodged in the county jail.

Joseph Brower, a well known elder of the Dunkard church in Miami county, committed suicide by hanging himself. Financial difficulty was the motive.

The Citizens' State bank of Rochester has changed hands, passing into control of C. C. Byer, of Kendallville, J. F. Byer, of Warsaw, and W. A. Banta, of Goshen.

The trial of Former Treasurer Holdeman of Elkhart county on charge of embezzling county funds is in progress at Goshen. Hon. Thomas R. Marshall, of Columbia City, is assisting in the defense.

At South Bend it has been noticed for several mornings that strangers were scattering wheat along the streets. The grain is eagerly eaten by English sparrows, which soon die by scores, the wheat being poisoned. The dead birds are then gathered by the men. The incident has given rise to the belief that the birds are taken to some town where a bounty is offered for dead sparrows and are turned in as having been killed where the bounty is offered.

The board of commissioners of Whitley county have instructed the county attorney to bring suit against several former county officials and present incumbents to recover back pay alleged to have been received through illegal allowances.

Members of the Amish church in Clinton township combined to oppose the Indiana truancy law. Moses Eash was arrested for failure to comply with the law and was fined $10 and costs, $25 in all. It was paid by members of the society. It is understood that on the advice of lawyers they will offer no further opposition to the law.

PREPARING TO VOTE.

Important Meeting of Democratic City Committee.

Will Select Primary Election Officers Tonight--Candidates Will All Be Present.

The political pot is beginning to boil, and from today until the first Tuesday in May every voter in Fort Wayne will be talking of the contest for city offices.

Allen Hamilton, chairman of the democratic city committee, has called a meeting of the committee to decide on election officers and voting places for the democratic primary election, which will be held April 14. The meeting will be held this evening in the city hall and all democratic candidates have been invited to attend and assist in the selections. There are so many candidates, including delegates and committeemen, that the work at the primary will be much harder than heretofore and for this reason the committee is determined that arrangements shall be satisfactory to everybody concerned.

REPUBLICANS.

The republicans are not allowing the grass to grow under their feet either. Colonel Oakley is making a strong canvass and sees scores of people every day. His supporters are confident, but the Geake men only smile and say their man will certainly win. A meeting of the Geake supporters of the Second ward was held last Friday evening and the men for Geake delegates were chosen. There will be caucuses on each side from now until the primaries are held, March 31, and the fight promises to be a most bitter one. W. T. Jefferies has a walk-away for clerk.

LOCAL LINES.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Neikirk, of 115 Columbia avenue—a girl.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stone, of Liberty street—a son. Mr. Stone is the well known traveling man.

Mrs. Carrie M. Sawyer, of Boston, Mass., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Vordermark, of 301 East Washington street.

Rev. A. Lang has been granted a permit to build a parsonage on a lot in Fletcher's addition. The new dwelling is estimated to cost $3,000.

H. R. Charle, the school teacher for the Trinity Lutheran school in Bloominglale, arrived in the city last week and yesterday was installed in his new position. He is from Hannibal, Mo.

The Hibernians have selected the Randall hotel as headquarters during the state meeting to be held in this city April 18, 19 and 20. Several hundred visitors are expected in the city during the convention.

R. C. Miller, of Wabash, passed through the city last night en route to Ohio to attend the funeral of his mother-in-law. Mr. Miller stopped off here several hours to see his daughter, Mrs. L. G. Dailey, of West Williams street.

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For Infants and Children.

The fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

HEAD SWELLED.

McCoy Toyed With Hardenbrook and Now He Begins to Crow.

He Would Have Met the Fate of Mr. Bates Had Not "Kid" McCoy Promised Not to Hurt Him.

The following telegram from Walkerton, Ind., was printed in the metropolitan papers Sunday morning:

"Vern Hardenbrook, of Walkerton, heavyweight champion of Indiana, met Kid McCoy last night in a four round go at Fort Wayne and stayed with him to the limit. Hardenbrook forced McCoy to the ropes three times, and scored one knock down. The rounds were hard tought, and McCoy, although fighting his hardest, failed to stop Hardenbrook in the four rounds. Hardenbrook was not in good condition, having had but little training, which makes his showing with McCoy all the more remarkable. It is believed in Indiana sporting circles that Hardenbrook is one of the coming men in the ring."

This article is indeed laughable to the persons who knew anything of the conditions of the meeting. Hardenbrook would not go on unless McCoy would promise not to hurt him. To this the champion agreed, even making a promise after the two had entered the ring. Hardenbrook also made him take off the light gloves and put on the eight-ounce mits. Before the men had been in the ring thirty seconds McCoy struck Hardenbrook two blows which had he put force behind them would have knocked the Walkerton comer to senseless. Referee Brown says that Hardenbrook several times asked McCoy not to hit him so hard and McCoy laughingly replied, "I am only striking you easy blows," or words to that effect. Hardenbrook did not knock McCoy down, but the latter slipped and fell and only smiled when he got up. In the last round Hardenbrook was on a continual sprint to keep from being hit and once or twice looked appealingly to the timekeeper as if he would appreciate the ringing of the bell. And although the "kid" had only played with him, Hardenbrook needed the attention of his seconds before he was able to get out of the ring. Persons who knew the conditions of the match are certain Hardenbrook could have been whipped in less than thirty seconds.

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Sunday afternoon there was a desperate fight on West Main street between two business men, who had some difficulty about a business transaction. Fists were the only weapons and they were used with considerable effect.

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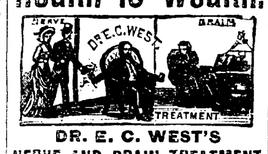

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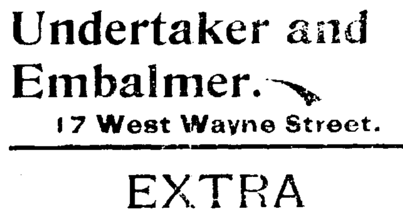

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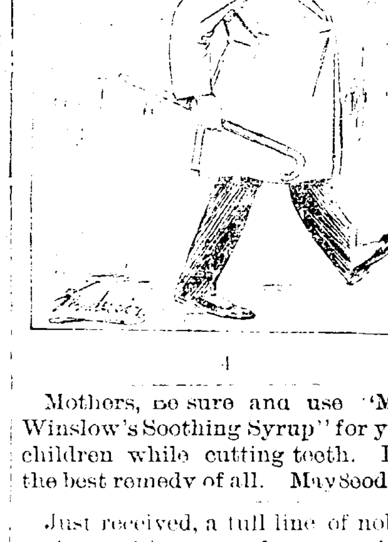

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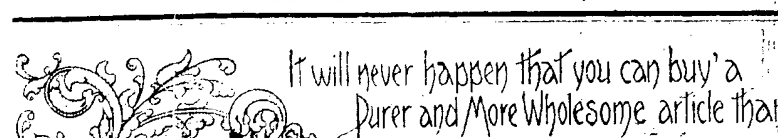

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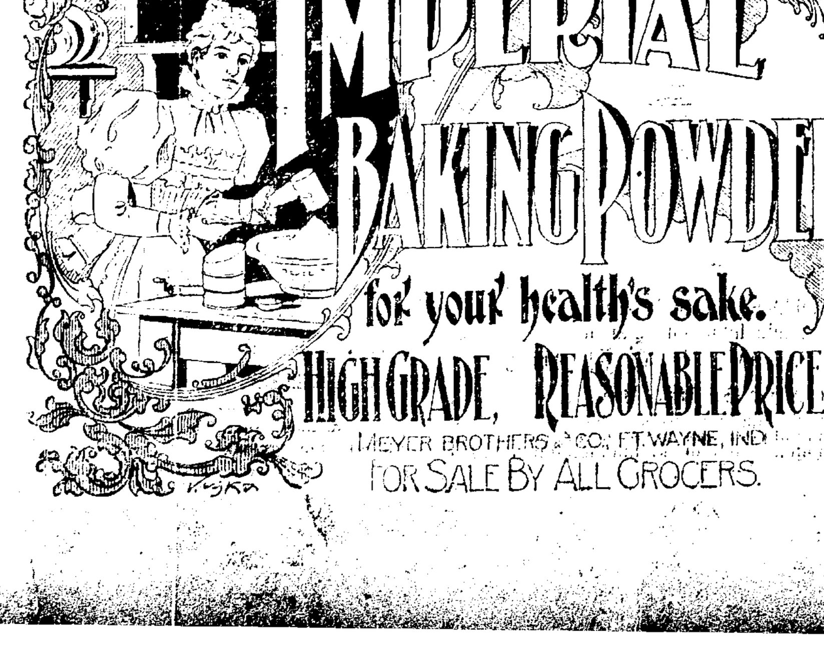

IMPROVEMENTS.

Wonderful Growth of Electrical Apparatus.

Bicycles Also Show a Greatly Increased Sale--The Eel River Line To be Sold to the Lake Shore.

The commissioner of patents has issued his annual report, which shows that the number of applications received for examination during the year was greater than for any other in the history of the office, yet the report says there was no increase in the facilities or force for doing the work. Applications awaiting action December 28, last, numbered 11,382 due to the inadequacy of the office force. For the ten years beginning in 1840 the average number of applicants was 1,186, and for the eight years beginning with 1890 it has grown to 41,479 per year.

The influence of patented inventions is most strikingly shown in the creation of new industries of enormous magnitude since 1880—that is, within the term of patents now in force or but very recently expired. Of these new industries the most noted are those directly connected with the development of electrical inventions. The manufacture of electrical apparatus and supplies began to be of importance shortly before 1880, and in that year seventy-six establishments, employing 1,271 persons and producing an output valued at $2,655,036, were in existence. In 1890 the number of establishments had increased to 189, employing 9,945 persons and producing an output valued at $19,114,714. In the electric light and power industry, as reported in 1880, there were but three establishments in the United States, employing 229 persons and producing an output valued at $458,400. At the close of 1891 there were in the United States 2,124 central stations supplying electricity for light and power and 7,475 isolated plants, a total of 9,599 establishments. The capital invested in these central stations is stated to have been $258,956,256, and the capital invested in the isolated plants, though not stated, was probably not below $200,000,000. A conservative estimate of the number of persons employed at that time in this industry would not be under 45,000. The use of electricity for power purposes has found its most notable development in the electric railway. The first electric street railway in the United States was put in operation little more than ten years ago. In 1880, of the 2,500 road miles of street railway in the United States, nearly all used animal power. The total mileage of electric railways in the United States up to October of 1897 was 13,765 miles and, out of a total mileage of 15,718, but 947 miles were horse car lines. The total capital invested was $946,131,691.

The telephone in 1880 was just beginning to be commercially known. At the close of 1896 there were in the United States 967 telephone exchanges and 832 branch offices, using 536,845 miles of wire and employing 14,425 persons. The total amount stated to be invested in telephone in property in 1895 was $77,560,000.

The great development of the bicycle industry has come since 1890, as a result of the inventions in pneumatic tires made about that time. In 1890 there were reported as engaged in the manufacture of bicycles twenty-seven establishments. In 1895 more than 200 establishments were engaged in the manufacture of cycles and the output of wheels for that year is stated to have not been less than 800,000. The product in 1897 was over 1,000,000 wheels. In 1880 a large proportion of the cycles used were imported, mainly from England. In 1897 the exports of cycles and parts of cycles to England amounted to a value of $2,128,491, and the total exports amounted to a value of $6,902,736.

THE EEL RIVER LINE.

The following telegram appeared in the Chicago papers this morning:

"BUTLER, Ind., March 13.—It is given out here that the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern will acquire the Eel River line, running from Butler to Logansport, now leased by the Wabash, when it is sold as now ordered, but pending action in the supreme court. This would give the Lake Shore its St. Louis and New York line, via the Vandalia, from Logansport. The Wabash people must be contemplating this move, as surveyors are laying out a line from here to New Haven to connect their Toledo line with the Detroit line through here."

That part of the above item which refers to the proposed new Wabash line from New Haven to Butler is probably incorrect, as nothing could be learned here nor in New Haven of such a project being carried out. If surveyors are at work upon a line they are doing it secretly. However, it is the belief of the writer that such a railroad would be a profitable investment for the Wabash and be a great benefit to Fort Wayne.

PERSONAL AND OTHERWISE.

After a week's sickness, H. D. Phillips has resumed work in the Pittsburg lumber yards.

Daniel T. McFee, Nickel Plate engineer, has recovered from his recent illness and is at work again.

Engineers Frank Telley and George Cooper and Firemen Charles Davidson, of the Nickel Plate, are taking a few days' rest.

J. R. Helsworth, of the Pittsburg planing mills, today moved into a comfortable house on Eliza street.

Martin Wambach is again at his post of duty in the Pittsburg machine shop, after an illness of several days.

Louis Altevogt resumed work in the Bass machine shop this morning, after an absence on accouct of the death of his baby.

D. A. Condon is a new name on the Nickel Plate pay roll, that gentleman having taken a position as brakeman with the company.

Conductor J. M. Wells resumed his run on the Nickel Plate yesterday, after being detained at home a few days by the illness of his wife.

J. G. Nichter, the machinist, whose misfortune was noted in this column Saturday, went to the company's hospital at Peru this morning.

Homeseekers' excursions will be run on all western lines on March 15 and April 5 and 19. The rate will be as usual, one fare plus $2 for the round trip.

John Cattez, the coppersmith, has recovered from an illness which kept him from his work several days. He is employed in the Pittsburg shops.

In one of the big class L locomotives now being built by the Pennsylvania railroad there are 20,066 pieces, including rivets, screws, bolts, nuts, etc.

Pittsburg engine 181, which was taking train 80 east last night, blew out one of her cylinder heads at Ada, Ohio, and had to be relieved by another engine.

One passenger and two freight trains on the Baltimore and Ohio had to detour via the Wabash at Defiance yesterday on account of a freight wreck near that city.

Erie trainmen are making the largest earnings in the history of the road. During February the engineers averaged $180 to $200 and March promises to do even better.

The hay blockade in the east has been broken and the Pennsylvania and other roads which had stopped shipment for awhile announce that they are again ready to resume that traffic.

Leonard Wood, who visited several days with relatives in this city, has recovered from an attack of quinsy and returned to Huntington, where he is employed in the Erie railroad shops.

Michael Hughes, the machinist, who had three fingers of his left hand taken off last December, has recovered from the injury and this morning resumed his place in the Pittsburg shops.

This morning engines 92, 55, 315, 116 and 416, from the eastern division, and engine 51, from the Chicago yards of the Pennsylvania, came into the Fort Wayne shops for general repairs.

Fred Wolf, the Nickel Plate brakeman, is working again after an absence of several days on account of the sickness of his baby. David Potts, also a brakeman, reported after a few days rest.

Mrs. A. M. Staley, wife of the Nickel Plate brakeman, has improved in health and her husband, who, on account of her sickness, had been laying off for several days, took his run out yesterday.

Casper Lehnkuler, Joseph Junk and Chris Schneider, who had been on the absentee list, reported for duty at the Pittsburg blacksmith shop this morning. Messrs. Lehmkuler and Junk had been sick.

Emil Deister is again an employe of the Bass company, he having taken a position in the machine shop this morning. He learned the trade in that establishment, but for the past year has been employed in the Kerr Murray works.

Henry Keil, timekeeper at the electric works, is taking a two weeks' vacation on account of poor health. His duties at the shop are being performed by Bert Keplinger, while William Melching, a son of the sheriff, is filling the place temporarily vacated by Bert.

The Big Four has asked for bids upon a fine depot which the company proposes to erect in Terre Haute. The building will be 155x62 feet and will be constructed of red pressed brick with terra cotta trimmings. In addition to offices, it will contain large waiting rooms, baggage and express rooms.

Traffic was so heavy on the Nickel Plate Saturday and Sunday that the local engines and crews were compelled to go out with trains of through freight after they brought their local trains in Saturday evening. The men are thus enabled to add considerable to their earnings during the month of March.

J. D. White, the blacksmith, who had been attending the funeral of his wife's sister, Mrs. Belle Francis, at Wabash, has returned to his duties in the Pittsburg shops. The deceased resided in Muncie. On March 1 she was called to Wabash to attend the funeral of her sister, Mrs. Pyle, and a week later she was stricken down.

The trainmen on the Michigan division of the Big Four road complain of the length of their runs and have asked the company to shorten the divisions. They now run from Wabash to Louisville, 192 miles. The men suggest making the runs from Benton Harbor to Anderson, 165 miles, and from Anderson to Louisville, 140 miles, but the company is said to look upon a change of this kind with disfavor.

William O'Connell, formerly fireman on the Grand Rapids and Indiana railroad, have returned from the east, where he has been in the bicycle business for the last four years. Mr. O'Connell will open a bicycle store in the city in a few days.

Harry Cragg, a machinist employed at the electric works for the past year or two, put in an application some months ago for a position in a government arsenal. He passed the required examination, but there was no opening at that time and he was told to wait awhile. Saturday he was summoned to Washington and it is presumed that it is for the purpose of entering the service.

On account of a bridge being taken down to allow a dredging machine to pass up the Kankakee marsh, west of Hamlet, yesterday, Pennsylvania trains 8, 2, 9 and 7 had to make a detour by way of the Nickel Plate and the Indiana, Illinois and Iowa roads and were delayed from one to two hours. The bridge was taken down at 7:30 and was not again in position until after 10 o'clock last night.

For the fourth week of February the Financial Chronicle reports the gross earnings of seventy-seven American railroads as $7,999,578, an increase, as compared with the corresponding period of last year of $1,201,233, or 17.72 per cent. For the first week of March thirty-four roads report $3,891,827, an increase of $600,628, or 18.25 per cent. For the first week of March the Monon reports gross earning of $58,378, an increase of $11,560.

In the way of eastbound shipments out of Chicago, last week was a record breaker. The aggregate was 158,232 tons, as against 153,827 for the preceding week and 77,193 tons for the corresponding period of a year ago. In this business the Lake Shore leads, its per centage being 16.5. Next in volume of business came the Nickel Plate, with a per centage of 11.1. The balance of the business was about equally divided between the other eight trunk lines.

Miss Edna Thompson entertained friends Saturday afternoon.

OPPOSE THE FIGHTS.

The Ministerial Association Takes Action.

A Statement From Them Opposing the Sparring Events and Calling on the Authorities to Stop Them.

The Ministerial association held a meeting in the Plymouth Congregational church this morning and prepared the following statement, which was handed THE SENTINEL for publication:

"While not wishing to be understood as condemning proper and healthful athletics, we, the Ministerial association do desire to express our thorough and unqualified disapproval of such exhibitions of fistic combat as were presented under the auspices of the Fort Wayne Athletic association last Friday evening at the rink.

"We believe them to be debasing in their general effect, demoralizing to the youth of our city and altogether unnecessary to the proper training of the physical man.

"We respectfully call the attention of the authorities to the fact that there are state laws regulating such exhibitions, and from the very full reports in our city papers we are pursuaded that recent exhibitions have approached very nearly, if not exceeded, the limits established by law.

"We regret the very unenviable reputation these exhibitions have established for our city as a result of the large newspaper advertisement they have received."

THE MARKETS.

CHICAGO, March 14.—Wheat—March, $1.01½; May, $1.04; July, 86⅝c; Sept., 78⅜c; Dec., 78¼c.

Corn—March, 29c; May, 30¼c; July, 31⅝c; Sept., 32⅝c.

Oats—March, 25⅞@¾c; May, 26⅜@½c; July, 24⅝@¾c.

Pork—March, $9.80; May, $9.82½; July, $9.90.

Lard—March, $5.00; May, $5.05@5.07½; July, $5.12½@5.15.

Ribs—March, $4.97½; May, $4.97½@5.00; July, $5.05.

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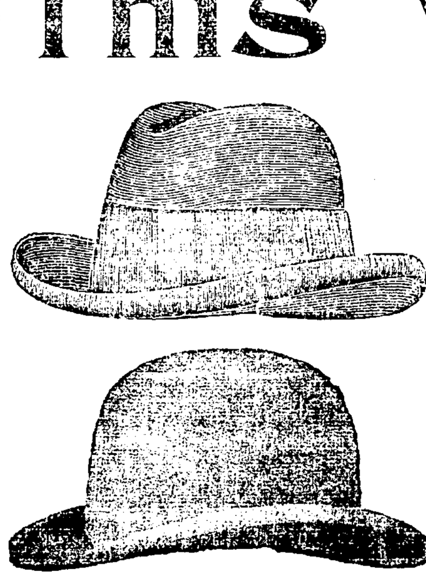

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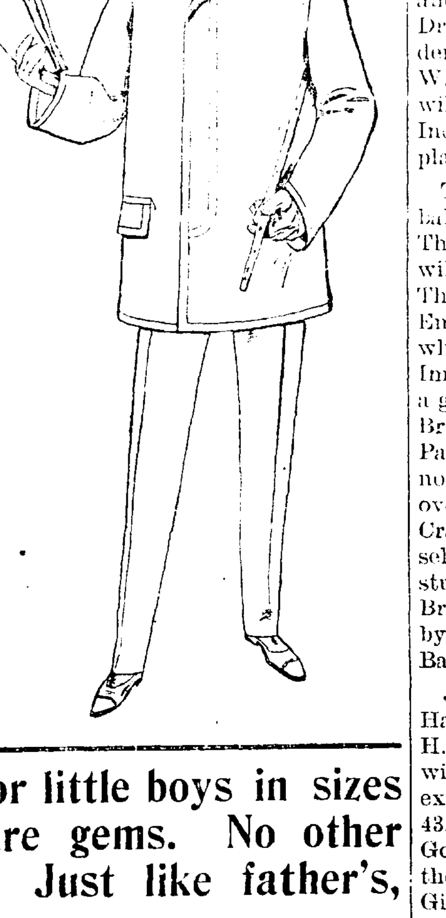
You will want a Spring Overcoat this season. See our line.



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LOCAL NEWS.

H. B. Guthrie, of Anderson, was registered at the New Aveline Sunday.

Mrs. F. J. Hayden has been made a member of the board of directors of the Y. W. C. A.

Miss Jessie Sweet, of Indianapolis, will be the guest of Mrs. Artemus Pickard this week.

Mrs. Theodore Ruthland and daughter, Tyra, will leave Friday for their home in Chicago.

Mrs. Dr. Halloway, of Decatur, spent Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. W. E. Winch, in this city.

The J. P. W. club will be entertained Tuesday evening by Mr. and Mrs. Pierce, at their home on East Lewis street.

Misses Cora and Lida Butler and Miss Kate Furthmiller, of New Haven, spent Sunday in the city the guest of friends.

Tom W. Houlihan, of Chicago, spent Sunday in the city, the guest of relatives and friends. He returned home this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. John S. House entertained at cards Saturday night at their home, 417 Broadway. The prizes were won by Mrs. W. E. Doud and Mr. Darfee.

C. O. Lepper, the well known druggist of West Jefferson street, is being urged to stand for one of the democratic councilmanic nominations in the Third ward.

Ben Hur Court, No. 15, Tribe of Ben Hur, will meet this evening as usual in their hall on Court street. Brother Stroh, one of the supreme officers, will visit the court.

Selden Morey has accepted a position as press operator at the Postal telegraph office. The Associated Press report for the Fort Wayne morning papers will hereafter come through the Postal company.

The church history class of the West Creighton avenue Church of Christ will meet tonight at the library room. Every member is requested to be present, and others who desire to take up the work.

Elkhart Review: "C. D. Budd, of St. Louis, the paving contractor, H. C. Hanna, of Fort Wayne, are in the city. Mr. Budd has also retained VanFleet & VanFleet, as he is involved in the injunction suit against the city."

The social given by the Misses Van Tilburg, Stover, Griesmer and Laylander at the home of the latter was a great success, the prizes were won by William Carter, first prize, and Dayton Archibald, bobby. The literary program was very interesting, especially the solos by Misses Eva Moore and Helen Laylander.

A powerful meeting was held last night at the West Creighton avenue Church of Christ. John J. Higgs, preached an interesting discourse upon the "Second Adam." M. K. Griffith sang "Only a Step to the Grave" with good effect. Six persons came forward to the altar of confession. They will be Baptized next Wednesday evening.

Phil Rauh, one of the proprietors of the Aveline house barber shop, cut himself Saturday afternoon in a severe manner while stropping a razor. He was in the act of getting the keen blade into shape to shave a man and in some manner the razor slipped and Mr. Rauh was cut in the thumb and third finger of his right hand. It was necessary to take five stitches in the wound.

The Damrosch Opera company passed through the city, over the Nickel Plate, at 12 o'clock last night. This company has been engaged to give a series of operas during the opera season, which opens at the Auditorium tonight and continues two weeks. Some of the greatest talent of the day, including Mme. Melba and Mme. Nordica, is with the company on this occasion. The party travels by special trains, it requiring fourteen cars to accommodate them and their baggage.

The concert given at the New Aveline house yesterday afternoon by the automatic banjo was listened to by an audience which completely crowded the lobby of the hotel. Piece after piece was encored and the Hoosiers were especially thrilled by the rendition of the latest popular song, "Down on the Banks of the Wabash." Dr. Kalbfleisch, president of the company, and Mrs. Kalbfleish, of Peru, and Dr. Casebeer, of Auburn, vice-president of the company, were present. W. J. Holt, agent of the new banjo will leave this morning on a trip to Indiana towns, in which he hopes to place a number of the instruments.

There will be two games of foot ball, at the Lakeside park next Thursday afternoon if the weather will permit sport of that character. The first game will be between the Emmett and the Shamrock clubs, which will be called at 2 o'clock. Immediately following this will be a game between the students of the Brothers' school and those of St. Patrick's school, the participants not to be under twelve years nor over fifteen years of age. Masters Cran, Shea, Murphy and Rohan will select the team for the St. Patrick students and a similar office for the Brothers' school will be performed by Masters Owens, Singleton and Baade.

James Gillie has leased the Black Hawk farm, belonging to Mr. John H. Bass, for a term of years, and will begin the dairy business on an extensive scale. The farm contains 432 acres, and is located near the Goeglein church, three miles east of the Feeble-Minded asylum. Mr. Gillie also purchased forty head of Galloway cattle from Mr. Bass, the product of famous Brookside. He will also build and equip a creamery, and intends to make a specialty of dairy products of all kinds. Mr. Gillie is a practical, scientific farmer, thoroughly understands the dairy business, and his many friends extend hearty wishes for his success. The Black Hawk farm is one of the largest and best in the county.

NEW DOCTORS.

A Big Class Will Get Diplomas From the Fort Wayne College Tonight.

The graduating exercises of the class of '98, of the Fort Wayne College of Medicine, will be held at Library hall this evening. The public is invited. No admission fee will be charged. This will be the nineteenth annual commencement of the college. The program follows:

Overture Rosamonde	Schubert
Invocation	Rev. S. Wagenhals
Herztblaetter	Gautier
Remarks by the Dean	Dr. C. B. Stemen
Gridiron March	Pryor

IN MEMORIAM.

Dr. Ira E. Lyons	Dr. G. W. McCaskey
Jadwiga Caprice	Tobina
Address on behalf of trustees	Hon. J. Frank Hanley
Selection from "Faust"	Gounod
Conferring of degree	Hon. Charles McCulloch
Presentation of diplomas	Dr. W. W. Barnett
Awarding of prizes	
Gavotte Dolce	Mittlestaedt
Address on behalf of faculty	Dr. W. O. Gross
Coneas Two Step	Voelstedt

After the exercises at Library hall a banquet will be tendered the class and alumni at the Randall hotel by the faculty. Following are the young men who will receive their diplomas on that evening: J. W. H. Beach, C. L. Blue, D. I. Dahl, Peter Dahl, G. M. Leslie, F. G. Liesen, J. A. Lomas, F. A. Metts, C. L. Patterson, B. Rhamy, Adolph Wermuth, Clifford J. Wallace, H. A. Varian.

Two small children of W. L. Boothers, living near Knox, were probably fatally burned by the explosion of a can of gunpowder which they had placed upon the stove.

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HARRY F. FRANCE.

FOR MAYOR.

EDITOR SENTINEL: Please announce that I will be a candidate for mayor, subject to the decision of the democratic city nominating convention, April 5, 1898.
HENRY P. SCHERER.

I hereby announce that I will be a candidate for the office of Mayor, subject to the decision of the Republican nominating convention.
WILLIAM GEAKE.

EDITOR SENTINEL: Please announce that I am a candidate for mayor, subject to the decision of the republican nominating convention.
CHAUNCEY B. OAKLEY.

FOR CITY CLERK.

EDITOR SENTINEL: Please announce my name as a candidate for city clerk, subject to the decision of the democratic city nominating convention.
HENRY B. MONNING.

WATERWORKS TRUSTEE.

EDITOR SENTINEL: Please announce my name as a candidate for water works trustee, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.
P. J. SINGLETON.

EDITOR SENTINEL: Please announce my name as a candidate for waterworks trustee, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention, Tuesday, April 5, 1898.
C. H. WALTEMATH.

EDITOR SENTINEL: Please announce my name as a candidate for the office of water works trustee, subject to the decision of the [illegible] nominating convention.
WM. TAGTMEYER.

FOR COUNCILMAN—FIRST WARD.

EDITOR SENTINEL: Please announce my name as a candidate for councilman from the First ward, subject to decision of the democratic primary.
GEORGE R. HENCH.

EDITOR SENTINEL: Please announce my name as a candidate for councilman from the First ward, subject to the will of the democratic voters as expressed at the nominating primaries.
EDWARD J. FIRMAN.

EDITOR SENTINEL: Please announce that I will be a candidate for reelection as councilman of the First ward, subject to the democratic primary election.
WILL HIGAR.

FOR COUNCILMAN—SECOND WARD.

EDITOR SENTINEL: Please announce that I will be a candidate for councilman from the second ward, subject to the decision of the democratic city primary.
ALLEN HAMILTON.

EDITOR SENTINEL: Please announce my name as a candidate for councilman from the Second ward, subject to the decision of the democratic primary.
W. J. HOSEY.

FOR COUNCILMAN—THIRD WARD.

EDITOR SENTINEL: Please announce my name as a candidate for councilman from the Third ward, subject to the democratic primary.
DAVID S. ECKERT.

EDITOR SENTINEL: Please announce my name as a democratic candidate for councilman in the Third ward, subject to the will of the nominating primary of the party.
JOHN O'RYAN.

FOR COUNCILMAN—FOURTH WARD.

EDITOR SENTINEL: Please announce that I will be a candidate for councilman, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating primary in the Fourth ward.
JOHN J. BAUER.

FOR COUNCILMAN—FIFTH WARD.

EDITOR SENTINEL: Please announce that I will be a candidate for councilman from the Fifth ward, subject to the decision of the republican city primary.
J. O. BROWN.

FOR COUNCILMAN—SIXTH WARD.

EDITOR SENTINEL: Please announce my name as a candidate for councilman from the Sixth ward, subject to the will of the democratic voters as expressed in the nominating primaries.
SYLVESTER McMAHON.

EDITOR SENTINEL: Please announce my name as a candidate for councilman from the Sixth ward, subject to the will of the democratic voters as expressed in the nominating primaries.
HENRY SCHWARTZ.

EDITOR SENTINEL: Please announce my name as a candidate for councilman from the Sixth ward, subject to the decision of the democratic primary.
JAMES CURRY.

FOR COUNCILMAN—SEVENTH WARD.

EDITOR SENTINEL: Please announce that I will be a candidate for councilman of the Seventh ward, subject to the decision of the voters at the democratic primary.
PETER J. SCHEID.

EDITOR SENTINEL: Please announce my name as a candidate for councilman from the Seventh ward, subject to the decision of the democratic primary.
DANIEL D. GORDON.

FOR COUNCILMAN—EIGHTH WARD.

EDITOR SENTINEL: Please announce that I will be a candidate for councilman from the Eighth ward, subject to the decision of the democratic city primary.
K. K. WHEELOCK.

FOR COUNCILMAN—NINTH WARD.

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FOR RENT—A house of six rooms, water and gas; a good barn, 78 Montgomery street. Inquire 66 W. Creighton ave. 12tf

FOR RENT—Eight room house, centrally located, bath room, furnace, electric light; modern in every respect. Inquire at 49 Harmer St., cor. E. Wayne. 27tf

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished room, with or without board; also day boarders wanted; hot and cold baths furnished with both. 29 E. Washington street. 11t2

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FOR RENT—Eight room house at 325 South Calhoun street, bath room complete; heated by hot water, gas and electric chandeliers in all rooms, cement cellar, with stationary tubs; driveway from Calhoun street to barn. Will lease to good party. Inquire at 57 West Berry street, corner Harrison. 2tf

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†From Richmond arrives	8 25 pm
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*For Richmond and Cincinnati	12 35 am
†	5 45 am
†	12 35 pm
†From Grand Rapids arrives	7 15 pm

*Daily. †Daily except Sunday.

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Ar. Columbus via. T & O C Ry	2 30 p.m.	

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All trains run daily, except Sunday.

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Effective Nov. 14, 1897.

No.	GOING EAST	DEPART
2.	N. Y. & Boston Lim., daily	5 33 a.m.
20.	Toledo Local Express ex. Sunday	6 55 a.m.
6.	N. Y. & N. Eng. Flyer, daily	11 50 a.m.
4.	Fast Mail & Ex., ex. Sunday	6 30 p.m.
10.	Decatur Accom. arrives ex. Sunday	8 45 p.m.
	GOING WEST.	
11.	Decatur Accom., ex. Sunday	5 31 a.m.
5.	Pacific Ex., ex. Sunday	9 33 a.m.
7.	Kan. City Cannon Ball, daily	12 35 noon
1.	Government Fast Mail, daily	6 30 p.m.
3.	St. Louis Vestibule Lim., daily	8 05 p.m.

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SOUTH.	
No. 41 leaves (except Sunday)	7 10 a m
No. 43 daily	4 15 p. m
No. 171 Local Freight	6 00 a m
NORTH.	
No. 40 arrives daily	11 40 a m
No. 42 (daily except Sunday)	10 25 p m
No. 170 Local Freight	4 40 p m

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SOUTHWARD.	ARRIVE.
No. 462 Way Freight	5 25 pm
No. 456 Cin. Express and Mail	[illegible] am
No. 410 Detroit and Ind'pls Express	3 55 pm
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No. 463 Way Freight	6 40 am
No. 457 Through Express & Mail	11 45 am
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The Evening Sentinel.

MONDAY, MARCH. 14, 1898.

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The Weather.

WASHINGTON, March 14.—For Indiana: Fair and warmer; Tuesday fair, followed by showers and cooler in extreme north portions; increasing southerly winds.

NEWS NOTES.

The Hibernian Rifles will drill tonight.

George Houser spent Sunday in Huntington.

The spring vacation at Westminster begins Friday and lasts for ten days.

Mrs. O. M. Murray, of Butler, is visiting friends in Fort Wayne for a few days.

Sol D. Bayless Lodge, No. 359, F. and A. M., will confer the third degree this evening.

Mrs. O. E. Cole, who visited with Mrs. Barney O'Connor, has returned to her home in Mansfield, Ohio.

Mrs. A. Leutke returned to her home in Milwaukee today, after an extended visit with relatives in this city.

D. Deardorf, of this city, will open a five and ten-cent store in Columbia city within the next two weeks.

Mr. Upson will return to his home in Cleveland this week, after a pleasant visit with his friend, Nathan Smyser.

Dr. N. R. Wenger left for New York, Saturday night on Pennsylvania train No. 8, and will sail from New York for Europe in a few days.

Fish for Lent.

Holland Herring Down 5c Keg.

New Holland Herring, 85c keg.
New Scotch Herring, $1.15 keg.
Imported Russian Sardelles, 70c keg.
Family White Fish, 45c kit.
Family Mackerel, $1.40 kit.
Genuine Georgia Bank Codfish, 7c lb.
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Florida Strawberries and Southern Vegetables for Tuesday Morning.

Fancy Strawberries, 35c qut.
Havana New Potatoes, 55c peck.
Fresh Spinach, 30c peck.
Hot House Lettuce, 14c lb.
Florida Tomatoes, 12½c lb.
Radishes and Onions, 2c bunch.
Cincinnati Rhubarb, 8c bunch.
Michigan Celery, 18c bunch.

FRUIT HOUSE.

Dr. Thompson is home from Delphos, Ohio.

Miss Hazel Pearse, entertained the West End club last Saturday evening.

W. E. Mossman visited A. C Wilkerson in Huntington Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. William M. McKinnie are visiting Mr. McKinnie's relatives in Pittsburgh.

Miss Anna Gehring, of Butler, Ind., is visiting her brother, Jack Gehring, of this city.

M. L. Spencer, a prominent Huntington attorney, was in the city today transacting some business.

The council of Jewish women will meet on Thursday and Miss Minnie Frank will read a paper before the club.

Mrs. Cora Hively and Misses Jennie and Stella Meek visited over Sunday with the family of Dr. Widup, in Columbia City.

J. K. Ferguson and R. S. Robertson have formed a partnership and will engage in the lumber business, Mr. Robertson having severed his connection with Hoffman Bros.

An advertising social will be given Monday evening by the Berry street M. E. church Epworth league at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Schell, 100 Columbia avenue.

A meeting of all the barbers of the state has been called by State Organizer Chas. J. Steiss, of this city. The convention will be held at Anderson, Ind., on the 21st of this month. It is intended at this meeting to form a state association and draft a bill to be presented to the next legislature for the purpose of creating a state board of examiners. The barbers of Fort Wayne will send several representatives.

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Fresh Veal, Lamb, Pork Chops, Spare Ribs, Leaf and Kettle Rendered Lard, Sausages of all kinds; also Brounch Schwicker Liverwurst, Sliced Ham, Cooked Pressed Ham, Chipped Dried Beef, and Smoked Meats of all kinds at

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14, 16, 19, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 28

Have you seen that $15 light covert overcoat at Reuben S. Patterson's? It has strap seams and is lined throughout with heavy silk.

Miss Josephine Zartman has been the guest of Miss Minnie Eichhorn, of Bluffton. Saturday afternoon Miss Eichhorn entertained friends in honor of Miss Zartman.

W. E. Clapham has received a letter informing him that the carload of provisions shipped to the Cubans had arrived safely in New York and was starting for Cuba.

FOR SALE

This week, sample line of $1.25, $1.50 and $1.75 slippers—Oxfords, button and Juliets, in black and tan, at 79c. Also velvet and opera slippers at 39c. Oxfords, 45c. Confirmation suits, $3.50, $4.75 and $6.90. All wool spring capes, 50c. Trimmed and untrimmed sailors, 10c, and all other goods in proportion, at 4 and 6 Harrison street.

THE FAIR.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thus return our sincere thanks to friends and neighbors for their kindly acts and sympathies during the sickness and death of our beloved husband and father.

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We desire in this manner to fervently thank our kind friends and neighbors for their assistance and words of sweet consolation in our hour of sad bereavement, the death of our dear baby, Raymond, whom God, in his infinite wisdom, has taken from us.

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And they are the prettiest ever produced and the prices are less than ever. The materials used are more appropriate than last season, and the styles exceed anything ever produced in Cotton Waists.

As many of the fabrics cannot be duplicated you will do well to get yours while the assortment is complete.

Take Elevator to Second Floor.

Suits and Jackets

We add to our stock today 25 Ladies' Wool Tailor Made Suits at

$5.00, $7.$50 and 9.00 Each.

These are wonderful bargains.

McCall's Patterns for April Ready. Fashion Sheets Free.

DUNN & TAFT,

54 Calhoun Street.

Arnold's Bromo-Celery. Head queer? This remedy will clear it. Try it. 10 cts. For sale by Gross & Pellens.

M. L. Jones, the photograph supply man, has on sale a book published by himself, called the "Amateur Photographer," which contains a great fund of valuable information for the amateur artist.

Neat and nobby are the patterns, and a perfect fit guaranteed, in our spring suits. G. Schmidt, Merchant Tailor, 70 E. Main street. 11tf

For Sale.

The Young Men's Christian association building and lot 40x100 feet. Price $23,000. Inquire or write to

W. E. CLAPHAM, Pres.,
27tf 22-23 Pixley-Long Bldg.

Don't Wait for a Declaration of War With Spain.

Get your bicycles out at once and have them repaired, enameled, new tires, etc., before we get so awfully busy. They are coming thick and fast, but this is only a starter. We expect to be buried before April 1st. Come now.

COLUMBIA MACHINE WORKS,
8-tf 54 and 56 Barr Street.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT.

Received of Tribe of Ben Hur $1,000, full amount of certificate held by my husband, who was killed Sunday, Feb, 28, only seven days intervening between his death and payment of claim. I desire to express my gratitude to the order for their prompt payment and to the members of the local court for their sympathy in my great bereavement.

MRS. BELLE FILES.

INCANDESCENT GAS LIGHT.

A great gas saver, give a soft, pleasant light—nothing better made. I only handle one grade and that is the best. Not to be compared with the cheap lights advertised.

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For Furniture, Carpets and House Furnishings go to the new store of

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Dyspepsia, Heartburn, Gastritis and all Stomach Disorders positively cured. Grover Graham's Dyspepsia remedy is a specific. One dose removes all distress, and a permanent cure of the most chronic and severe cases is guaranteed. Do not suffer! A 50 cent bottle will convince the most skeptical. nov.15-3m

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I am prepared to make loans of any amounts on first mortgage security on farm or city property, at low rate of interest, with the privilege of paying back all or any amounts at any interest paying time. I also have farm and city property to sell and exchange. Any one intending to buy, sell or exchange, will find it to their advantage to call on me.

Phone 622 **Louis F. Curdes,**
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The Boston Store.

SPECIAL DRESS GOODS SALE.

We can show more styles and better values in 12½c, 19c, 25c, 39c and 50c Dress Goods than any other house in the city.

Special prices this week on Fancy Silks for Waists.

UNDERWEAR AND HOSIERY.

We are showing a complete line of Spring Underwear for Ladies, Gents' and Children's at special low prices. Ladies' Wrappers at reduced prices.

CURTAIN DEPARTMENT.

50c Lace Curtains, worth 65c.
85c Lace Curtains, worth $1.00.
$1.00 Lace Curtains, worth $1.25.
$1.25 Lace Curtains, worth $1.75.
$1.75 Lace Curtains, $2.25.
$1.95 Lace Curtains, worth $2.50.
$1.95 Chenille Curtains, worth $2.50.
$2.50 Tapestry Curtains, worth $3.00.
Curtain Poles at reduced prices.
Rugs at special prices this week.

Do Your Trading at the Boston Store. We have many Bargains to Offer This Week.

Wm. Hahn & Co.,

THE BOSTON STORE.

Clearing Sale.

Clothing Department

Men's Suit $18, NOW $13.50
Men's Suit 15, NOW 11.25
Men's Suit 12, NOW 9.00
Men's Suit 10, NOW 7.50
Men's Suit 9, NOW 6.75
Men's Suit 6, NOW 3.75

25 per cent. discount on young men's and children's Suits and Overcoats.

10 per cent on all black and blue worsted Suits.

25 per cent. on all Underwear, Shirts, Neckwear, Hats, Caps.

Our own make working pants reduced 25 per cent.

Tailoring Department

We have reduced

All $40 Suits to $30.00
All 38 Suits to 30.00
All 35 Suits to 22.00
All 30 Suits to 22.00
All 25 Suits to 16.50
All 20 Suits to 16.50

Overcoats 30 Per Cent. Discount.

All $10.00 Trousers, $7.50
All 8.00 Trousers, 6.50
All 6.00 Trousers, 4.75

All Work Guaranteed.

J. G. THIEME & SON,

Corner Columbia and Clinton Streets,

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Madam ENID STRASBURG-MYERS,
Teacher of Piano, Pipe Organ and Harmony.
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FRIEND'S = CLOTHING = STORE.

$10,000 Stock of New, Seasonable Clothing and Furnishing Goods. The entire stock of the Horse Shoe Clothing Store which we purchased for cash, and

50c = ON = THE = DOLLAR.

Is the price we are selling it for. This gives you an opportunity to buy the goods at less than it cost the manufacturer to make them.

$10,000 Worth of actual bargains; bargains in every department of our store. Do not fail to take advantage of this sale, for such bargains come very seldom.

CLOTHING.

MEN'S.

Our line of Men's Suits commences at $2.50. At $3 to $4 we give you an elegant line of strong suits. From $4 to $6.50 we have an array of strictly all wool suits, the regular price of which are from $8 to $13.50. Our line of nobby dress suits from $7 to $10 are marvels of beauty and make.

All Goods at 1-2 Regular Prices.

PANTS—Jeans Pants, 25c, 50c, 75c, $1.00. Strictly all wool pants, $1. Fine dress pants, $2. Very nobbiest, $2.50.

BOYS'.

Young Men's Long Pant suits, from ages 14 to 19 years, starts at $2. At $3.50 we give you nobby all wool suits. At $4 and $4.50 we have an array of beauties and extra values such as were never before offered in this city. At $5 and $6 we will give you nobby dress Suits.

All Goods at 1-2 Regular Prices.

PANTS—From 50c up. Extra fine pants, $1.50. Good all wool pants for $1.

CHILDREN'S.

Children's Suits start at 50c. From this price up to $5. We ask you just one-half of the regular prices, just 1-2 of what every merchant would ask you. All wool suits at $1.25, $1.50, $1.75. Extra special values at $2 and $2.50.

All Goods at 1-2 Regular Prices.

PANTS

10c, 25c, 50c, 75c and $1.00.

FURNISHING GOODS.

75c Hats, now 40c. $1.25 Hats, now 60c. $1.50 Hats, now 75c. $1.75 Hats, now 85c. $2.00 Hats, now $1.00. $2.50 Hats, now $1.25. $2.75 Hats, now $1.35. $3.00 Hats, now $1.50. $3.50 Hats, now $1.75. Collars, 5c. Cuffs 10c. Mother's Friend Shirt Waists, 10c. 10 and 15c Socks, 5c. Sweaters, Underwear at half price.

FRIEND'S CLOTHING STORE,

CALHOUN AND BERRY STREETS.

STILL GROWING!
The Circulation —OF— The Daily Sentinel! OVER 5,500 PAPERS Actually Circulated Every Day.

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For all things hold fast to that which is good.
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From $10 to Any Amount.

Any Person in Need of Money can borrow it on their Household Goods, Pianos, Horses, Wagons, Carriages, Bicycles, Store Fixtures, Etc.

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All Business Private and Confidential.

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IT PAYS TO BORROW OF US.

LOANS TO SALARIED PEOPLE (Ladies' or Gentlemen) on their own names.

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THE CHEAPEST BRUSH.

The cheapest Tooth Brush is a guaranteed Tooth Brush.

When a maker guarantees things it is usually because they don't need a guaranty.

If any of our 25c Tooth Brushes shed a bristle in two months, we'll give you a new one for it.

Tooth Brushes from 10c up.

A full line of Cloth and Hair Brushes in stock.

Agents for English Violet Perfume and Gunther's Candies.

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Holding permanent positions with responsible concerns upon their own names without security. Easy payments. Business confidential.

Room 2, Seidel Building. 52 1-2 Calhoun St.

MONEY!

Money to loan on Farm and City Real Estate at the lowest rates of interest. We have the money on hand to close loans at once.

The J. P. Schell Loan & Investment Co., 24-25-26-27 Pixley-Long Block, 16 & 18 E. Berry St., Fort Wayne, Ind.

MONEY TO LOAN

At lowest rate on furniture, pianos, horses, wagons, carriages, etc., and leave the property in your possession.

Payments arranged on the monthly installment plan or to suit you.

Loans placed same day application is made.

No charges taken out in advance. Business confidential. No publicity

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Blood Humors

Whether itching, burning, bleeding, scaly, crusted, pimply, or blotchy, whether simple, scrofulous, or hereditary, from infancy to age, speedily cured by warm baths with CUTICURA SOAP, gentle anointings with CUTICURA (ointment), the great skin cure, and mild doses of CUTICURA RESOLVENT, greatest of blood purifiers and humor cures.

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FORTIFYING.

Big Force at Work at Sandy Hook.

Building Ramparts and Mounting Guns

All Women and Children Ordered Removed.

And Preparations for an Attack are Rapidly Being Made--Hostilities Imminent.

NEW YORK, March 14.—The 300 artillerymen ordered from Fort Hamilton and Fort Wadsworth to Sandy Hook were transferred to the latter point today. Under the direction of army engineers hundreds of soldiers and workmen are busy mounting guns, building ramparts and laying other defenses at the Hook. Not since the civil war has such activity been seen there. A train of twenty-one cars, each loaded with a twelve-inch steel mortar, is lying on a siding near the fortifications. It arrived yesterday from the Watervliet arsenal. The work of erecting mounts for the mortars is being rushed. Many mortars are already in place. They are out of sight, in deep pits, in batteries of sixteen each, and cannot be reached by an enemy's guns except by shell. Dozens of eight, ten and twelve inch steel rifles are at the Hook ready for mounting. When the engineers are through, the fortifications will be among the strongest in the world.

All woman, and children under sixteen years old, have been ordered from the Hook. The wives of many of the workmen left yesterday. Hundreds of masons, carpenters and other mechanics are working on the additional quarters needed for the artillerymen. They are nearly completed.

TO ACQUIRE SHIPS.

A Board Has Been Created for That Purpose.

NEW YORK, March 14.—The board of auxiliary cruisers of the United States navy, which was appointed to acquire ships of the merchant marine for use in the event of the breaking out of the war, met for organization today in the Havemeyer building, where the board has secured temporary quarters. Permanent quarters will be taken later, as the board will have a great amount of work to do here. The new board supercedes the office of the United States inspector of merchant vessels, which has been held by Lieutenant Commander J. D. Kelly, in this city, since May of last year. Commander Kelley is a member of the new board. A member of the board said today that it had power to pre-empt any vessel that had been constructed under the subsidy of congress and was engaged in carrying the mails. All vessels will be carefully examined and no worn out hulks will be accepted. "We can easily secure a fine fleet on both coasts," said this gentleman, "from ocean-going tugs to fleet liners like the vessels of the American line."

POWDER AND SHELL.

Battleship Oregon Being Prepared for a Hostile Cruise.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 14.—The battleship Oregon is lying in the stream with scows and schooners all about her. From two of the scows coal is being discharged, from another powder is being hoisted on board the warship and from a fourth shells for the big guns. The ultimate destination of the Oregon is presumably the Atlantic coast. She is taking in one hundred tons of coal, which it is figured will carry her to Callao, as already stated. She will await orders at Valparaiso.

ANOTHER FORECAST.

The President and His Cabinet Alleged to Know What is What.

ST. PAUL, Minn., March 14.—The Globe's Washington special says:

The president and his cabinet know, unofficially, the result of the Maine inquiry. They are prepared to act. They have canvassed the course of events, so far as they can forsee them, and have formulated a policy to meet the emergency. Along its lines the administration expects to move—unless it is swept off its feet by a wave of popular dissatisfaction.

The Globe's special correspondent is able to present the forecast of events as viewed by the president and his cabinet. It can be outlined thus:

1. The board of inquiry will report this week that the explosion was external.

2. The president will immediately, through Minister Woodford, demand from Spain an indemnification of $10,000,000.

3. Spain is expected to reply expressing her willingness to pay if she is responsible, but maintaining that her own investigation shows that the explosion was internal and purely accidental. She will therefore suggest reference to an international board of arbitration.

4. In such an event the administration would be disposed to comply with the suggestion—unless there is an emute in Havana, or an irresistible demand for war sweeps through congress.

5. If congress acquiesces in the suggestion, the attempt will be made to adjourn that body and leave the whole matter in the president's hands.

6. It is expected that a large majority of congressmen will claim that such a matter of honor cannot be arbitrated. It is further expected that the leaders of both houses, including Senator Davis of Minnesota, will favor arbitration.

HER SECURITIES GO DOWN.

Spanish Fours Score Sharp Decline in European Exchanges.

LONDON, March 14.—Spanish fours on the stock exchange today opened at 53¼ against 55, the closing quotations of Saturday. Later Spanish fours further declined to 52½.

PARIS, March 14.—On the bourse today Spanish fours opened at 54 5-16, 5-16 lower than Saturdays closing prices.

MADRID, March 14.—Spanish fours here today were quoted at 76.60 against 77, the closing price Saturday.

BOATS FROM HAVANA.

KEY WEST, Fla., March 14.—The American yacht Buccanneer arrived here this morning from Havana, and the United States coast survey vessel Bache sailed this morning for Havana. The newspaper dispatch boats Dewey, Echo and Confidence arrived here from Havana and shortly afterwards returned to that port.

EUROPEAN WATERS DESERTED.

WASHINGTON, March 14.—Cablegrams received at the navy department today announce that the Bancroft sailed yesterday from Lisbon for Norfolk, and the Helena from Key West to join the squadron. This leaves Admiral Howell at Lisbon with his flagship San Francisco as the sole representative of the United states navy in European waters.

THE DONS DID IT.

Blew Up the Maine by Submarine Mine.

No Doubt Now of the Cause of the Explosion--Deplorable Condition of the Cubans.

WASHINGTON, March 14.—Col. Myron M. Parker, one of the leading business men of Washington, who accompanied Senator Proctor on his recent visit to Cuba, said today that the Americans on the island had no doubt that the disaster to the Maine was caused through Spanish agency. Their belief, however, he said, could not be traced to any authoritative source and it was conceded by all persons that the court of inquiry and other persons connected with the investigation had not given any intimation of what the evidence disclosed. Nevertheless, he said, there was absolutely no difference of opinion among the Americans as to the cause of the disaster having been an external explosion. The insurgents, Colonel Parker thought, were in better shape than ever before and would be able to accomplish their independence in time. The Cubans, as a rule, he believed, would be glad to see the island come under the American flag and would do what they could to bring about that result. The colonel reiterated his statement of last night that the situation of the reconcentradoes was deplorable in the extreme. They were confined within narrow limits and practically left to starve.

PIONEER MISSIONARY.

Dr. Young J. Allen, the Best Known White Man in the Chinese Empire.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 14.—Probably the best known white person in the Chinese empire is Dr. Young J. Allen, who has just arrived here. Dr. Allen has been engaged in missionary work at Shanghai for the past forty years. He is one of the officers of the society for the diffusion of Christian and general knowledge among the Chinese, which, during the past year, published and distributed of Dr. Allen's works alone 189,000 volumes, in the Chinese language. The mission with which he is identified was established fifty years ago, and he is now on his way to attend the semi-centennial celebration of the event, which is to be held in Baltimore in May.

MURDERED.

Wolfjoel Shot and Killed by an Ex-Soldier.

CAPE TOWN, March 14.—Mr. Wolfjoel, the trustee of the estate of the late Barney Barnato, the South African millionaire, was shot in his office this morning at Johannesburg by a former soldier.

LONDON, March 14.—It is said in this city that Mr. Wolfjoel, the nephew of Barney Baranto, is dead as the result of the shot.

MORE GOLD.

Large Shipment Ordered From Europe by Bankers.

NEW YORK, March 14.—It is announced that J. and W. Seligman & Co. have ordered $500,000 additional gold from Europe. Kidder, Peabody & Co., of Boston, will import $500,000 in gold from England; the National City bank of New York, $365,000; Heidlebach, Ickelheimer & Co., $350,000, and Kessler & Co., $300,000.

GOT THE SHIPS.

Reported Purchase by the United States is Confirmed.

Chili Refuses to Sell Ships to Spain.

The Brooklyn Arrives at Fortress Monroe.

Senator Proctor Gives the Details of His Cuban Trip to the President--The Situation at the Capital.

WASHINGTON, March 14.—The reported sale to the United States of the two Brazilian cruisers, Amazonas and Admiral Breu, now receiving their finishing touches in an English shipyard, was confirmed here this afternoon. It is learned also that Spain has not secured the O'Higgins, and that Chili will not sell her to Spain. It is said furthermore that Spain has not and cannot purchase ships from either Chili or the Argentine Republic.

The big armored cruiser Brooklyn arrived at Fortress Monroe this morning direct from La Gayara, Venezuela. She made a fine run up and, it is expected, will await at Hampton Roads the arrival of the Minneapolis and Columbia, which are just fitting out at Philadelphia. This force will form an excellent nucleus for the projected "flying squadron" in case the department decides to form one.

Senator Proctor called at the war department today to see Secretary Alger. He was given right-of-way over a number of persons who were waiting for the secretary in the reception room and for nearly half hour recited to Secretary Alger the events and observations of his Cuban trip.

Later Senator Proctor called at the white house and had quite an extended conference with the president, to whom he narrated his observations in Cuba.

WASHINGTON, March 14.—Conditions appear to be quieter on the surface at the navy department today. Probably this was because Secretary Long, Captain Crowinshield, chief of the navigation bureau, Engineer in Chief Melville and other leading bureau officers of the department were called to the capitol during the forenoon to inform the appropriations committee of the needs of the naval service in the matter of legislation. In the various bureaus, however, there was a hum of industry and the work progressed as incessantly and steadily as for the past two weeks. The recruiting branch of the navy department is naturally one of the biggest branches of the service just now. It is in the temporary command of Captain Hemphill during the absence in the south of Captain Hawley and he was busy today with representatives of the railroads engaged in arranging for transportation of recruits to the sea board and of sailors already in the service from one port to another made necessary by the commission of new ships.

A problem that confronts the recruiting office is to procure the necessary force of enlisted men for manning the two ships which have been purchased from Brazil, the Amazon as and the Admiral Breu. The officers of the navigation bureau are making all arrangements for the speediest possible delivery of the two ships on this side of the Atlantic. It probably will require about 250 men for each ship and the question is whether these men shall be hired abroad in England under special arrangements for the one trip or whether a regular crew shall be sent out from the United States to bring them home. The first method is undoubtedly the quickest, but it will not be available in case there should be an open rupture before the completion of the two ships.

HOIST THE FLAG.

The Stars and Stripes on the Late Brazilian Ship.

WASHINGTON, March 14.—Orders have been sent to Commodore Howell, commanding the European station to send a force of men from the San Francisco to take possession of and hoist the United States flag on the Brazilian ship, that it is ready to go into commission at New Castle. This will prevent any difficulty in case hostilities should break out as the ship would be under the flag but lying in a friendly harbor.

FREE RIDES A CRIME.

Governor Pingree Issues a Proclamation on Passes.

DETROIT, Mich., March 14.—Governor Pingree has issued another proclamation regarding railroad passes, in which he declares their acceptance a crime under the laws of the state, and calls upon justices of the peace, prosecuting attorneys and judges of the higher courts to enforce the law and prosecute all violators of it.

He also calls upon the clergymen to stop accepting reduced rates, for the reason that it robs the school children, as the tax on earnings goes for educational purposes.

The governor concludes by saying it is useless to have laws unless they are enforced and obeyed.

A NEW ROAD.

Detroit and Toledo Will Have an Electric Line.

It Will be in Operation by September 1 and Will Do Freight and Passenger Business.

CHICAGO, March 14.—A new air line from Detroit to Toledo is to be built. Work on its construction has already begun and it is expected to be finished not later than September 1, and through trains may be running over it some time in August. While the road is to be built after the most approved patern of steam roads, the peculiar feature of it is it will be operated by electricity. In this respect it will be remarkable as being the first railroad of any consequence in this country to be operated by this motive power. John C. Shaffer, of this city, is the organizer of the new company. He has associated with him a syndicate of capitalists of Chicago, Pittsburg, and Detroit. A right of way for the entire distance between the two cities named has been surveyed and secured and part of the route has already been graded.

LOCAL LINES.

Abe Levy, of Levy Bros., of Barr street, left for New York and Boston on business.

The Lathers' union will meet tonight, and will meet regularly every Monday night hereafter.

Supreme Trustee Stroh, of the Order of Ben Hur, is in the city and will be the guest of the local order tonight.

Rezin Orr was in the city Saturday, en route to Roanoke and Columbia City, where he will visit a few days with relatives.

The board is holding a meeting in the health office this afternoon. The principal matter under consideration is the investigation to be made into the health of dairy cattle.

A petition for a brick pavement in the alley between Wayne and Washington streets, from Rockhill to College street, was filed with the board of public works this morning.

Mr. Levington informs THE SENTINEL that the young ladies who left his employ last Saturday did so on account of the discharge of a foreman and not because of an objectionable foreman.

JUDGED BY HIS POLISH.

It Is Not Always the Polished Gentleman Who Is the Gentleman of Real Polish.

The reporter had stopped in the office of the laundry to leave an order. As he came in a young man who might have come from New Jersey or Newfoundland passed out.

"He hasn't been in the city long," remarked the clerk, with a smile which was not wholly complimentary to the departed.

"Who is he?" inquired the reporter.

"Don't know; never saw him before in my life."

"How do you know he is new to the town?"

"He wanted a shine on his shirt, a polish on his linen, as Boston persons call it."

"Does newness in town have anything to do with it?"

"Does it?" and the clerk's tone indicated how sorry he was for the reporter's ignorance. "Well, I should say it did. When a man's been living in the city any time, he hasn't got any use for shiny shirt fronts and likewise the collars and cuffs that go with them. Take a yap from the raw districts, and the first thing he wants to put on when he strikes the town is a shirt he can see himself in the bosom of. Then he wants his cuffs to glisten to match, and his collar is a rank failure if it doesn't look like it had been soaked overnight in an enamel bath. That's for the first half dozen washes or so. Then he begins to think different, depending on the kind of society he trains with, and pretty soon he asks for a 'domestic finish,' and it ain't long after that until he begins to think that a shiny shirt front is something positively dreadful, and if we happen to get the least bit of a shine on his stuff he wants to slug somebody. A really and truly swell, don't you know, would a blamed sight rather be seen drunk at a social function than to be seen there wearing linen with a shine on it.

"Still there are some right nice men yet living who like to have shiny linen. They are mostly old fellows, and they like the shine because it looks cleaner after a little wear. Of course these old chaps are of the left overs, the style once being with everybody to have shiny linen. That's where the laundry ran out the washerwoman, who hadn't the machinery to shine with, and she lost her customers. She's coming in again though now, for the shine isn't the thing any more, and no machine laundering is equal to the hand work for real swell finish. The country laundry is yet doing the bulk of its work with a shine on, and the countryman, like the one you just saw go out, is known by the polish on his linen."—Detroit Free Press.

NO DOUBT NOW.

H. H. Reiter Was the Man Who Was Lost on the Desert.

Another Letter Received Today From A. M. Parke.

Will Forward the Son's Valise to George Reiter.

Mr. Reiter is Convinced That His Son is Dead, but Will Try to Get Further Facts From DeLamar, Nev.

George Reiter received another letter from A. M. Parke, of Aspen, Colo., giving further particulars of the mysterious disappearance of his son, Henry Harrison Reiter.

Mr. Parke was satisfied with the identification and has forwarded Harrison's valise, which Mr. Reiter had not received at noon today.

Mr. Parke says that with Reiter were two brothers named Fisk, and another person whose name was to him unknown. They left DeLamar, Nev., together, became separated, and the stranger found his way back to DeLamar. He got together a searching party and found the Fisk brothers, but could get no trace of Harrison. Mr. Parke married a sister of the Fisks, and in this way became interested in the story. The fourth man of the party has gone to Alaska and the letter intimates that Harrison may have gotten through to Vanderbilt, Cala., but the chances were all against him. Mr. Reiter does not believe that his son is alive, but will probably write to the officers at DeLamar in the hopes of getting some facts other than those given by Mr. Parke.

ELEVEN BURNED TO DEATH

Cremated in An Early Morning Blaze in a Lodging House in New York.

NEW YORK, March 14.—Eleven lodgers in the Bowery Mission lodging house, conducted at 105 Bowery by the Christian Herald, were burned to death in the fire which practically ruined the three upper floors of the five-story structure early Sunday morning. The others of the 150 occupants escaped by the stairways or were taken down on ladders by the firemen when unable to climb down the fire escapes.

So many bodies were found by the firemen and the policemen in the early stages of the search that it was estimated over forty persons had been killed. The officers, however, fortunately overestimated the loss of life. It is thought by the police that only one of the eleven bodies will be identified. This one is designated as No. 10. It was found in a room on the fifth floor. In the same room there was a satchel, and it is thought its contents may lead to identification of the body.

The loss on the building is estimated at $7,000, and the contents are damaged to the extent of $5,000. The loss is covered by insurance. The building belongs to the Chester estate.

HACKNEY IS FAVORED.

Indiana Gold Democrats Will Support the Supreme Court Jurist.

INDIANAPOLIS, March 14.—The fight being made upon Judge Hackney of the supreme court by some of the free silver leaders has resulted in a decided sentiment among gold democrats to place him upon their judicial ticket, or, if he is nominated by the regular democracy to indorse him and the other two democratic judges.

While Judge McCabe was a delegate to the Chicago convention, and represented Indiana on the platform committee, the gold democrats say he is a candidate for a nonpolitical office and should be judged by his record as a judge and not by his record as a politician, and they can, therefore, consistently place him and Judges Hackney and Howard upon their judicial ticket.

Under the new law the name of a candidate can appear but once on the official ballot, and if the three judges are nominated by the free silver wing they will likely be indorsed by the gold democrats.

GAS WASTERS ENJOINED.

Five of Standard Oil Company's Wells Are Plugged.

ANDERSON, Ind., March 14.—Late Saturday night Judge McClure granted the first injunctions under the ruling of the supreme court, which upheld the constitutionality of the anti-waste natural gas laws. The injunctions shut off five of the Standard's oil wells in this county which are blowing off gas. They were plugged yesterday.

The Ohio Oil company is also plugging all of its wells and other operators are doing the same thing in order to head off injunction suit costs. By tonight it is thought the oil industry in the Indiana gas belt will be entirely closed.

State Gas Inspector Leach began a flying tour of the gas belt today under orders from Governor Mount, and will use the injunction freely and shut off every oil well that is wasting gas.

GREAT GOLD LEDGE FOUND.

Remarkable Discovery in Harquahale Mountains, Ari.

PHOENIX, Ari., March 14.—Michael Fitzpatrick, from the Harquahale mountains, brings news of the discovery by him of one of the most wonderful gold ledges of Arizona, a statement that is apparently borne out by the specimens at hand.

Fitzpatrick says that shortly after he made the discovery three men who had been working a copper claim near by raided his claim with shotguns and drove him from the place.

Fitzpatrick and an officer will leave shortly for the mine.

TO THE GROUND

Was the Alabama Saw Mill of Aurentz Brothers Burned.

Bad Luck of Former Fort Wayne Residents--Loss Estimated at More Than $40,000.

A dispatch from Decatur, Ala., says:

"Saturday evening at 6 o'clock fire broke out in the engine room of George Arantz's Sons' large saw mills. Before fire companies could get there the fire was beyond control. The whole mill property is destroyed at a loss of $40,000. Arantz Brothers located here in 1881 with the largest band saw mills in Alabama. They shipped lumber to England for the English navy and furnished the quartered oak that went into W. H. Vanderbilt's New York residence. They employed over 200 men, who will be thrown out of work. Fifty thousand dollars' worth of lumber stacked in the yard was saved."

The owners of the mill are sons of Philip Aurentz, of East Washington street, and formerly resided in Fort Wayne. About seventeen or eighteen years ago the brothers, Frank, George, William and one other left the Summit City and established themselves in business in the growing south and are now among the south's enterprising citizens. Relatives in Fort Wayne had heard nothing of the loss of the mill until informed by THE SENTINEL reporter. A. C., S. A., Robert and Al. Aurentz are cousins of the Alabama brothers.

DEATHS AND FUNERALS.

Sunday morning at 7 o'clock occurred the death of Barbara Seiler, aged 71 years. Mrs. Seiler was one of the oldest residents Adams township, having arrived in this county from Germany fifty-five years ago. A week ago last Saturday she came to Fort Wayne to attend church, stopping at the home of her son-in-law at 177 Madison street. Sunday the lady became quite ill and was not able to be taken home, death claiming her one week later. Mrs. Seiler leaves six children as follows: Peter, Joseph and Frank, of Adams township; Mary, of this city; Mrs. Jacob Hoffman, of Marion township, and Mrs. Anthony Nusbaum. Twenty-two grandchildren and six great-grandchildren also survive her. The funeral will occur Wednesday morning at 9 a. m. from the residence, and at 9:30 from St. Mary's Catholic church.

MARTIN.

Salamanca A., eight-months-old child of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Martin, died Sunday afternoon of bronchitis, at the home of the parents, No. 206 West Washington street. The funeral will occur Wednesday morning at 8:30 from the house and half an hour later from the Cathedral.

TANIUS.

Early this morning, at Hope hospital, occurred the death of Amelia Tanius, aged twenty-nine years. Death resulted from peritonitis. The remains were taken to the home of deceased parents, Mr. and Mrs. Engert Huhn, 236 Smith street. The lady leaves four children. The funeral will probably occur Wednesday.

CRAWFORD.

The remains of Nellie Blanche Crawford arrived in the city Sunday evening from Cleveland, Ohio, and the funeral occurred this afternoon from Cavalry U. B. church, Rev. Ballinger officiating.

BROWN.

James E. Brown, of 270 East Lewis street, has gone to Nevada, Ohio, where his mother, Mrs. Joseph Brown, died last night. The deceased was the grandmother of Mrs. L. G. Dailey, of West Williams street, but that lady is ill and will be unable to attend the funeral.

DOLAN.

The remains of Albert E. Dolan arrived in the city from Chicago and were taken to the home of Dennis McKering, No. 71 Walnut street. The funeral occurred this morning.

ARMSTRONG.

Sunday morning at the home of his daughter, Mrs. C. L. Crume, occurred the death of Lewis Armstrong, aged eighty years. Death resulted from accomplication of diseases superinduced by old age. The funeral occurs tomorrow afternoon.

H. F. Mote, of Montpelier, Ind., is in the city, and will attend an open meeting held under the auspices of Barbers' union No. 14, at their hall over 11 West Main street, this evening. The subject of the address of Mr. Mote will be the barbers' license bill. A convention composed of delegates from all the local barbers' unions of the state will be held next Monday at Anderson. All barbers, whether bosses or journeymen, are expected to be present. A representative to the convention at Anderson will be chosen tonight.

The Laundry Workers' union will meet this evening.

IMPORTANT RULING.

Liquor License Case Decided by Judge O'Rourke.

License Must Date From the Day it is Issued.

Justice of the Peace Hears a Divorce Suit.

Criminal Cases Set for Trial--Damage Suit Argued--The News of the Courts.

Today in the circuit court Judge O'Rourke rendered an important decision in a liquor license case and it will have an important bearing on a question that has greatly vexed the city and county authorities. Judge O'Rourke's ruling in substance holds that the one year term of a liquor license begins on the day it is granted by the board of county commissioners and not on the day when the bond is given by the applicant to the county auditor and the license taken out. The suit on which the decision was rendered was the case of the state vs. Paul Laible. License was granted to Laible by the commissioners January 4, 1897. He did not take out his license until April 10, following. Last February Liable was arrested at the instance of Prosecutor Doughman for selling liquor without a license. He was tried before Justice France and fined $20 and costs. An appeal was taken to the circuit court, the defendant holding that his license did not expire until a year from the date on which it issued. He set forth that he had been arrested twice before he took out his license for having none and that he was entitled to a year's protection under the grant. Judge O'Rourke held that the state could not contemplate any penalty he had suffered by his own negligence and that it was utterly impossible that the statute should contemplate the investiture of the applicant with the right to determine when the term of his license should begin and end. That power was vested solely in the county commissioners. The city and county has had much trouble from saloon men who have held contrary to this view of the matter and Judge O'Rourke's decision is therefore important. Laible stayed the docket for about $47. The case may be appealed to the supreme court and a final ruling secured.

DIVORCE IN JUSTICE COURT.

The story comes from Monroeville that Justice McCormick, of Monroe township has enlarged his jurisdiction and has sat in judgment in a divorce suit. Mrs. Luther Taylor and her liege lord, having domestic infelicities, the wife decided to follow the fashion and get a divorce. She brought her suit in Justice McCormick's court. Judge McCormick, not being certain of his jurisdiction, would not enter a decree annulling the marriage, but sat as arbitrator, and after hearing the evidence, counseled the parties to divide their domestic belongings and separate. This was done. To the judge's ineffable disgust, however, the pair, after three days' separate existence, decided they could dwell less happily apart than together and moved in beneath the same rooftree. This is probably the first instance in the annals of Indiana courts where a divorce suit was brought in a justice court.

CRIMINAL CASES SET.

The following criminal cases have been set for trial in the circuit court:

Lewis Wiley, petit larceny, Tuesday.

William Wallace, assault and battery with intent to kill, Wednesday.

John Zaner, obtaining money by false pretence, Thursday.

OTHER COURT NOTES.

The suit of Judge S. M. Hench vs. Richard Klein, the furrier, for $150 attorney's fees, is on trial in the circuit court. It is developing some interesting testimony that if true is extremely comprising of the defendant.

The argument of council in the damage suit of Ulmer vs. Geake & Henry is in progress in the superior court. The case will go to the jury tomorrow.

William Reemer has sued Frederick Wierston, et al, in the circuit court for possession of real estate and damages.

In the circuit court Hannah M. Galloway, et al., has commenced suit against Simon M. Galloway, et al, for partition of real estate.

In the superior court the Keeley Brewing company has sued George M Stier for $1,000 on note and accounts.

Henry Lagemann has commenced suit in the superior court for divorce from Ella Lagemann.

LICENSED TO WED.

Lawrence B. West and Grace L. Conover.

William J. Stirlen and Blanche Baker.

LIKE THEIR PASTOR.

St. Paul M. E. Church Ask for the Return of Rev. M. C. Cooper.

The congregation of St. Paul M. E. church have unanimously asked for the return of their pastor, Rev. M. C. Cooper. At the regular evening services Sunday, Dr. C. B. Stemen preached, and at the close of his sermon requested all the members of the church who approved the labors of Rev. Cooper and desired his return, to rise to their feet. All stood up. Rev. Cooper is now serving his eighth year as pastor of a Methodist church in Fort Wayne. He was for two years in charge of Simpson church and then had St. Paul church for four years. Two years ago he returned to St. Paul's, and it is probable that the wishes of his congregation will be acceded to by the conference. Rev. Cooper enjoys a distinction enjoyed by few pastors in his church, having served one congregation so long.

CUPID IMPATIENT.

March Purloins a Wedding From June.

Grace L. Conover Married to Lawrence B. West--A Pleasant Surprise to Their Friends.

To-day at noon, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Norton Conover, 154 Harrison street, occurred the marriage of Grace L. Conover to Lawrence B. West, of Louisville, Ky. Rev. L. L. Henson, pastor of the First Baptist church, performed the ceremony

There is a pleasant flavor of romance in the felicitous event, and it involves the story of an impatient lover, a willing fiancée, a quickly arranged ceremony and a union of two fond hearts and the blending of two devoted lives in the sacred bonds of wedlock.

The friends of the bride were aware that her troth had been plighted to Mr. West, but the bridal day had been set for June, the month that lovers and poets have singled out of time for Cupid's busy season. Mr. West came to the city Saturday to visit his fiancee over Sunday and it was yesterday that the impatient lover prevailed upon the bride-elect to consent to an immediate wedding.

The arrangements were kept a secret until this forenoon. At 11:30 Mr. Conover, father of the bride, was summoned home from his duties as foreman of THE SENTINEL job rooms, and was then first made aware of the impending event. Only the immediate family of the bride were present when the ceremony was solemnized. The bride was prettily attired in a traveling costume. Immediately after the wedding the happy couple took their departure over the Pennsylvania road for Chicago, where they will be the guests a few days of Mrs. West, mother of the groom, after which they will proceed to Louisville, their future home.

The bride is a charming and cultured young lady and a favorite in a large circle of friends in this city. She is a graduate of the Fort Wayne high school and has for three years been a teacher in the public schools. This morning she tendered to Trustee Schmetzer, of Wayne township, her resignation as teacher of the Philley school, on the Decatur road, where she has been employed this winter. Mr. West is superintendent for the Barber Asphalt company and has an extensive acquaintanceship in Fort Wayne. He is a rising young business man, with a promising future. A host of surprised friends will make haste to congratulate the newly wedded pair.

SONS OF ERIN.

They Will Celebrate St. Patrick's Day in Grand Style.

A Grand Parade Through the Streets in the Morning and Later Services at the Cathedral.

The Hibernians met yesterday and completed arrangements for the celebration of St. Patrick's day. In the morning at 8 o'clock there will be a grand parade, headed by the full City band, Mayor Scherer and Sheriff Melching included.

First in the line of march will be the Hibernian Rifles, next will be the county board of the A. O. H., division No. 1, A. O. H.; division No. 3, A. O. H., and then following, citizens on foot. At 10 o'clock Rev. Wimsey will deliver a sermon at the Cathedral.

The following line of march has been decided upon. Form on Lewis street, east to Clinton, north to Washington, east to Barr, north to Berry, west to Broadway, south to Jefferson, east to Griffith, south on Griffith and Fairfield to DeWald, east to Calhoun, north to Library hall.

At 10:30 Bishop Rademacher will celebrate pontifical high mass.

Councilmen McMahon and Glenn, of the council election committee, this morning met and selected inspectors for the several election districts. They are making a tour of the districts this afternoon selecting voting places. Many of the old inspectors were re-appointed and the voters will also cast their ballots in the same places as heretofore wherever possible.

There will be a free demonstration of the Velox paper from 2 to 4 p. m. tomorrow at the Kodak store of M. L. Jones, 44 Calhoun street. All amateur photographers are invited.

Our tables are now covered with novelties in men's and boys' spring suits and light box overcoats.

REUBEN S. PATTERSON.

SWIFT'S SPECIFIC

[illegible] blood remedy on the market [illegible] much more [illegible] ... system [illegible] deep-seated [illegible] ... called blood [illegible] ... It is a real blood [illegible] ... diseases ... The nation [illegible] ... absolutely helpless—unable to [illegible] ... medicines but they did not reach my trouble One dozen bottles of S S S cured me sound and well and I now weigh 170

Books on blood and skin diseases mailed free by Swift Specific Company Atlanta, Ga.

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BY E. A. K. HACKETT

MONDAY MARCH 14 1898

TONIGHT.

Lodges—Sol D Bayless lodge Fort Wayne lodge No 14 I O O F Phoenix K of P Ben Hur court No 13 Ben Hur court No 1 Modern Woodmen No 4761

Ladies G. A. R—G W Stark circle, No 18

True Blue Hall—Twelve o clock social

Barbers' Union—Regular meeting

Bricklayers' Union — Regular meeting

West Creighton Avenue Church—Church History class meets

Carpenters' Union—Regular meeting at hall, 54 East Main street

Baptist Guards—Regular meeting

Lathers—Regular meeting

Laundry Workers—Regular meeting

Masonic Temple—Attractions for the week

Tuesday—Gen J B Gordon lecture

Wednesday — Francis Wilson in "Half a King

Thursday—Stuart Robson in 'The Jucklins

IN the event of war there is likely to be a fresh impetus given to the rush for Klondike

As that fifty million melts away the more positive becomes the opinions of certain newspapers that there will be no war with Spain Mr McKinley will soon discover that eternal vigilance is the price of his administration's good repute The hurried expenditure of $50,000,000 in an emergency like the present is bound to be fruitful of more or less scandal.

THE insurrection against the Spanish power in the Philippines which was reported suppressed, has broken out again more actively than before and wherever any people are in revolt against Spain they receive the sympathy of outsiders Over a considerable portion of the globe at present the production of the Spanish flag is received with hisses and the insurgent flag with cheers

IN the town of Churubusco the Women's Christian Temperance union has just completed a successful campaign against the saloons The ladies adopted a rational procedure and did not rely on the doubtful force of abstract sentiment They presented to the Whitley county commissioners remonstrances from the necessary number of resident property holders as provided by the Nicholson law and prevented the issue of any license for saloons in their town Churubusco will be without a saloon for the first time in many years if such a condition has ever existed there heretofore

AFTER an investigation which consumed all told about half a working day the Spanish court of inquiry is enabled to report that the Maine was destroyed by an accidental explosion that occurred within her hull No Spanish diver has ever been inside the dismantled hull of the Maine and so far as the Spanish court of inquiry has learned anything from direct investigation this is as ignorant as the veriest landlubber who can not tell a warship from a circus balloon However the report of the Spanish court will answer as the basis of contention of any demands the United States may make for indemnity and that seems to have been the purpose

AN unmistakable sign of the thoroughness of the preparations for war with Spain it is claimed by naval officers is the placing by Secretary of the navy Long of a large order for quills for the Key West naval station These quills were designed by Professor Marion of the United States naval academy and are for use in connection with a messenger pigeon service to be at once established at Key West The quills are attached to the birds and are to contain messages The pigeons are to be put on the ships of Admiral Sicard s squadron and established in a cote at the naval station, so that they can be used to carry messages back and forth to the ships when they are at sea off the coast of Cuba

THE liquor traffic will not be in the least benefited by the plea made in its behalf by the Rev Mr Eierman, pastor of an Evangelical church in Cincinnati The saloon is not in need of any moral aid, least of all from the pulpit It is doing well It is growing and flourishing nearly everywhere and is performing its purpose and object which is not, as some of its volunteer and foolish champions like the Rev Mr Eirman asserts to fulfill the law and afford a high grade of social enjoyment but to sell drinks and make money for the proprietors The saloon is not asking for clerical assistance and it is not part of the business of the man who is pointing his hearers to the New Jerusalem to recommend any resort kept by Mike or Charley There is no preacher in the land who can bring together two things that are as far apart as the pulpit and the dram shop —Kansas City Star

THE nations of Europe are opening their eyes in wonder at the display of energy by the United States in its preparations for war and the disclosure of our marvelous resources The appropriation of $50,000,000 to begin preparation the purchase of immense stores of munitions and ordnance the enlistment of men for army and navy, the negotiation for the purchase of foreign warships at once and for cash the rushing of warships into commission and the refitting of scores of older vessels, the completion and manning of coast defenses and the rearrangement of military departments have all enforced upon the outside world that the United States, while not a bellicose nation is not unprepared for war nor afraid of hostilities The object lesson will be studied by other nations than Spain

THE Emperor William II has just had two packs of cards made after his own design and, as may be imagined they are very peculiar Instead of the traditional figures the kings and queens are represented by sovereigns at present reigning in Europe For the knaves the emperor with questionable taste has chosen the features of the principal ministers of the German empire The king of hearts is Leopold II king of Belgium in allusion to his well known gallantry the king of diamonds, Humbert I, of Italy, from his taste for diamonds, the king of spades, the Emperor Nicholas of Russia, and the king of clubs, his imperial majesty himself The queen of hearts is Queen Victoria, the queen of diamonds, Queen Margherita of Italy, the queen of spades, the czarina, and the queen of clubs, not the emperor s own wife, but the Empress Elizabeth of Austria There are only two sets of these cards in existence They were made at the imperial manufactory of Altenburg, near Berlin

Stop It—Stop It Now

This enlightened nation can not escape the duties and responsibilities that civilization and Christianity impose. In the name of all the humanities, let the United States cry a halt upon the monstrous iniquities of Spanish rule in Cuba Too much blood has been consecrated to freedom in the western hemisphere to allow it tolerable to freemen that tyranny may exact the awful tribute of a thousand lives a day and render no account

Armed conflict in Cuba is costing but few lives Spanish policy is wiping out at the appalling rate of 100 per hour the lives of peaceable men, helpless women and innocent babes Starvation and pestilence, hell born horrors a thousand fold more poignant than all the multiplied plagues of war, have transformed the Cuban towns, in which the populace is herded into death pens where each new day beholds fresh hecatombs borne unshrived unshrouded and uncoffined to charnel trenches reeking with the dead already there

For over a year has this frightful and inhuman decimation been in progress More than half a million human beings from whose bodies life has been racked by famine or fever is Spain's token of the beneficence of her rule in Cuba

The present ministry of Spain is doing no better in Cuba than the ministry it succeeded Its scheme of autonomous government for the island is a fraud, a lie a crime No promised reforms have fruited and none were intended The pledge was the pledge of the Spaniard, therefore treacherous, and Spanish treachery is another term for death

Want and pestilence will stalk rapine hold forth and butchery reign to the last dismal hour that Spain can keep her grasp upon the island Cuba's days will dawn dark with clouds that drip blood so long as Spain can raise a doubloon by the pawn of a royal perquisite or conscript human fiends to recruit her soldiery

The conflict Spain is waging in Cuba long since ceased to be a war of suppression against an armed revolt It has become an indiscriminate and diabolical slaughter of the unarmed and defenseless—the extirpation of a people

It should be stopped and stopped now

Every day the government of the United States withholds its hand from intervention it becomes more closely an accessory to this capital crime against civilized humanity

Upon this republic rests the natural duty of driving the Spaniard from Cuban soil Such duty can not be escaped and those responsible cannot avert the consequences of delay

The bartenders formed a permanent organization at a meeting held yesterday afternoon Another meeting will be held Tuesday evening, by which time the charter will be here and the officers will be installed The meeting will be held corner of Calhoun and Superior streets

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Lehman's 34 & 36 CALHOUN ST.

Open Saturday Evenings Until 10:30.

"When a Nation's Life's at Hazzard

We've no time to think of men," wrote the colonial poet. But we're thinking of men, and men only, now and all the time. Our marvelously successful Clearance Sale proves it. It's going on now. Don't miss it if you know a superb bargain when you see it.

Men's All-Wool $10 and $12 Suits for $7.98.

Men's High-Grade All-Wool Suits, that sold regularly for $10 and $12 are this week offered for $7 98—handsome cheviots and cassimeres, double warp serge lining, best tailoring throughout, greatest offer in Fort Wayne today or any other day—and for the next ten days only they go for **$7.98**

Great bargains in Men's Finest Suits, (black clay worsteds excepted), that sold all season for $14 $15 and $18—take them for the next 10 days—finest foreign and domestic fabrics, strictly all wool, in plaids, checks stripes and fancy mixtures, cut in fashion—a splendid opportunity to get a $14, 15 and $18 suit for **$11.98**

Grand clearing away of Men's Fine Winter Overcoats, strictly all kerseys, blue and black, silk velvet collars, silk sleeve linings, raw edges—we are preparing for the spring trade and now offer our handsome $15 Overcoats for just about half their previous price—only **$9.00**

Men s Advance Spring Overcoats new styles, new shades new stock, everything new, elegant box cut in all wool covert cloth and whipcords, you need but to examine our mammoth stock to make your spring purchase—they are excellent values and excellent bargains at $7 50 $10 00, $12 00 and **$15.00**

MEN'S TROUSERS.

Men s black cheviot Trousers all wool broken plaids hair lines and neat stripes regular $2 50 value now offered at Lehman s for **$1.50**

Men s cheviot and cassimere Trousers pure all wool, neat desirable patterns all sizes most excellent $3 00 values at Lehman s for **$1.98**

Men s worsted and cassimere Trousers all wool plaids checks and stripes, neat and nobby patterns regular prices $5 and $6—tomorrow and the next ten days for **$4.00**

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Lehman's 34 & 36 CALHOUN ST.

IN MEMORY OF 1798.

Centenary of Irish Rebellion Celebrated in Dublin.

Great Crowds in the City and Fully 60,000 Persons Take Part in the Phoenix Park Exercises

DUBLIN March 14—Fully 60,000 persons assembled in Phoenix park Sunday to take part in the first celebration of the centenary of the Irish rebellion of 1798 Many special trains were run from distant parts of the country and brought large numbers of persons to the city Organized societies marched to the park headed by bands of music, there being twenty bands thus employed American French and Irish flags were displayed in abundance Four platforms had been erected in the park one for each of the Irish provinces—Ulster, Munster Leinster and Connaught—and around these the crowds gathered to listen to speeches

Among the speakers was John O Leary, who declared that every enemy of England was a friend of Ireland Other speakers spoke in a similar vein The proceedings were marked by no disorder, and the services of the police who were present were not required This was the first of a series of demonstrations which will include visits to the battle fields of the rebellion after the arrival of the American and colonial pilgrims who are expected to take part in the celebration

DENIES CONFESSION

Alleged Murderer Repudiates Document His Lawyer is Trying to Sell

SAN FRANCISCO, March 14—The Examiner says that a remarkable incident has developed in the case of Albert Hoff the aged Russian who is now on trial for the murder of Miss Mary Clute Two attorneys of this city Benj W McIntosh and Edgar B Haymond are trying to sell an alleged confession of the man who is on trial for his life The lawyers insist that they are acting as agents for Hoff

They declare that the prisoner will take nothing less than $1 000 for his self accusation The confession it is represented, was made to McIntosh who is defending Hoff in court It is characterized as an unqualified oleographic confession of not more than three hundred words of the murder of Mrs Clute Albert Hoff denies with all the vehemence he can command that he has ever made a confession or ever intends to do so

HALF AND HALF.

Not All of Hawaii's Best Citizens Want Annexation

SAN FRANCISCO, March 14—Benjamin Cluff, jr, president of the Brigham Young academy at Provo, Utah, returned from a visit to the Hawaiian Islands where he went at the solicitation of United States Senator Frank J Cannon to determine the status of the annexation sentiment among the Hawaiian Islands. He speaks the language fluently and has made a thorough canvass among the natives of the islands of Oahua, Maui and Hilo He said

"As a result of my investigation, I would say that probably one half of the intelligent natives of the islands are pronounced advocates of annexation of the remaining one half, I would say the great majority are primarily in favor of the restoration of the monarchy and secondly, they much prefer annexation to the United States to a continuation of the present government"

CHARGES CONSPIRACY.

Murderer Under Penitentiary Sentence Released on Parole

LEBANON, Ind, March 14—Benjamine Farley convicted of murder and sentenced to twenty-one years in the penitentiary, has been released on parole Farley killed Alexander Stewart during a quarrel six years ago

On his trial the defendant claimed he was the victim of a conspiracy promoted by Stewart's wife and one John Smith The purpose of this was to involve Farley and Stewart in trouble, with a view to Stewart being killed, so that Smith and Mrs Stewart could marry

This contention had many supporters and was given color by the marriage of the couple which occurred a few days after the murder Farley's conviction was unexpected and many prominent citizens have interested themselves in his behalf He is over 70 years of age

ZOARITES BREAK UP.

Separatists Abandon Their Society and Divide Property.

TOLEDO, March 14—Today the separatists of Zoar abandon their communistic ideas, and the ninety-two surviving members of the colony will come into possession in severalty of the 7,000 acres of improved farm lands held by the society

This marks the end of the society founded by Jacob Bimeler and imported to this country in 1817 At that time it numbered 500 souls who for years afterward lived as retired as possible from the world with only the day's labor as the measure of their wealth

Lately the younger generation has grown restless and after long wrangling the division of property has been agreed upon Zoar is southeast of this city on the Wheeling and Lake Erie railway

FLOODS IN ONTARIO

Great Damage Done by Overflow of Grand and Thames Rivers

TORONTO Ont March 14—Dispatches from Western Ontario tell of the overflow of the Grand and Thames rivers, causing serious damage along their valleys Sections of London Brantford and Galt are completely submerged to a depth of from five to seven feet In London 1,500 people are homeless, having been driven from their homes Bridges and buildings were swept away by the rushing torrents In Brantford firemen and citizens fought the raging waters all of yesterday, but were finally beaten out, and West Brantford is a regular lake At Galt a heavy loss was sustained by the business people The ice jam in the Grand River gave way and the flood following it tore away bridges, trees and wrecked a number of factories and private residences

BASE BALL.

The Schedule Meeting at Springfield Today.

Work Will be Commenced on the New Grounds as Soon as the Weather Permits Beck Released

The schedule committee of the Inter State league is in session at Springfield, Ohio today The season will commence about the [illegible] of April

THE NEW GROUNDS

The Athletic club had intended commencing work on the new park today but the wet weather would not permit As soon as the ground dries out somewhat the work of leveling the diamond and bicycle track will immediately commence, probably tomorrow

BECK RELEASED

A telegram today announces that Manager Tebeau has released Beck, the former Toledo second baseman His physical condition is such that Pat did not believe he would get in to league form Beck has been given permission to train with the Clevelands until April 1

NOTES

"Roaring Bill Hassamaer has been offered the management of the North Baltimore team of the Wood county Ohio, league for the coming season and overtures from Mansfield have been made to him to play third base

The Toledo base ball team will make its first appearance this season in a new uniform of a very pretty design The suits will be navy blue with white trimmings and stockings and belts of maroon In addition the players will wear on the bench double breasted maroon jackets

All positions on the Toledo team have been filled except one Manager Strobel has no second baseman The position will be left vacant until after the 15th of next month in the hopes that Beck may come back Cargo, who played Inter State ball last season is available, and Frank Foreman, of Baltimore, has written to Manager Strobel recommending a fast youngster Then there is "Roaring Bill Hassamaer

George Kelb, the new south paw, of the Cleveland team, who was formerly with Toledo, has been in some of the exhibition games down at Hot Springs and reports of his work are decidedly encouraging Kelb may be called on to help out Young and Powell in the games played in April and May, as Captain Tebeau is anxious to hold back Cuppy until all doubts about the soundness of his arm have been removed

The opening game of the season in Mansfield will be April 15 with the Milwaukee team of the Western league The members of the Mansfield team will report for practice April 10 All the men have been signed except three President Power presented the matter of these three men to the national board at the St Louis meeting and all were awarded to the Mansfield club They will either have to play with the Mansfield club or not play at all

Grand Rapids Herald "Manager Torreyson, of Grand Rapids, agrees to guarantee $50 a game, which is $10 more than any other team in the Inter State league, the others making the minimum Manager Strobel, of Toledo, says the Michigan city should not be expected to pay more than any other town, and is not in favor of the advance made, especially from Grand Rapids Mr Strobel says he is very well satisfied to have the change made, as he considers Grand Rapids a better ball town than Wheeling, and says the change will make faster ball teams"

William A Brady has become an Eastern League magnate, and Jim Corbett will forsake the stage for the diamond this summer, Brady and Charles White, formerly president of the Eastern League, have purchased the Scranton franchise and transferred it to Rochester. Corbett s manager has announced that Corbett will be Rochester's regular first baseman Last summer the pugilist traveled around the country and played with various teams as a drawing card for holiday occasions. His work was fair and he is well up to the minor league standard for an infielder

Ladies Indoor Cycle Race

The ladies 6-day 12 hour bicycle races which are scheduled to be run off at the Princess rink, commencing Monday, March 21, continuing for one week, have already jumped into popular favor, and if the interest now manifested in this forthcoming exhibition is any criterion, it will be the biggest success of its kind ever witnessed in this city Negotiations are now pending between Miss Tillie Anderson, Helen Baldwin, Dottie Farnsworth, May Allen, Daisy Mullen, Mabel Raymond Lulu Young and other noted bicycle celebrities to ride in the races here next week It is expected by the promoters that this race will be the greatest of its kind that has been promoted yet this year The track will be built this week and the riders will be in active training Friday and Saturday, and on Saturday afternoon the public is invited to witness them, and also the track which in itself is a curiosity The prizes aggregate $400 divided into six purses and 240 miles must be ridden to receive any portion of the prizes Trick riding is a prominent feature, also continuous band concerts. The management particularly desire to impress upon the public of Fort Wayne, in language most forcible, that there is not an objectionable feature that would offend the most fastidious and that is their reason for throwing open the doors on Saturday afternoon for the public to witness the riders and judge of their respective merits free of charge The race proper starts at 8 15 Monday evening March 21st

BEWARE OF MORPHINE.

Mrs. Pinkham Asks Women to Seek Permanent Cures and Not Mere Temporary Relief From Pain.

Special forms of suffering lead many a woman to acquire the morphine habit One of these forms of suffering is a dull, persistent pain in the side accompanied by heat and throbbing There is disinclination to work because work only increases the pain

This is only one symptom of a chain of troubles she has others she cannot bear to confide to her physician for fear of an examination the terror of all sensitive, modest women

The physician meantime knows her condition, but cannot combat her shrinking terror He yields to her supplication for something to relieve the pain He gives her a few morphine tablets, with very grave caution as to their use Foolish woman! She thinks morphine will help her right along, she becomes its slave!

A wise and a generous physician had such a case, he told his patient he could do nothing for her as she was too nervous to undergo an examination In despair she went to visit a friend She said to her, Don't give yourself up, just go to the nearest druggists and buy a bottle of Mrs Lydia E Pinkham's Vegetable Compound It will build you up You will begin to feel better with the first bottle She did so and after the fifth bottle her health was re established Here is her own letter about it

"I was very miserable was so weak that I could hardly get around the house, could not do any work without feeling tired out My monthly periods had stopped and I was so tired and nervous all of the time I was troubled very much with falling of the womb and bearing down pains A friend advised me to try Lydia E Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I have taken five bottles and think it is the best medicine I ever took [illegible] to Mrs Pinkham's [illegible] Vegetable Compound to every suffering woman The use of one bottle will prove what it can do —MRS [illegible] Derby Center Vt

HE IS WEALTHY.

But Delights in Beating His Way on Trains.

Superintendent Gorsline Finds That M L Boughman is Quite Rich—Fined $ and Costs—Police News

THE SENTINEL Saturday mentioned the fact that one Buchman was being held by Superintendent Gorsline as a suspect His correct name is M L Boughman and the superintendent wrote to his home, Orrville Ohio, and replies received state that Boughman is the owner of several farms, on one of which is a big coal bank He is a veterinary surgeon and his income each day amounts to considerable He has a hobby of riding on freight trains and is strictly opposed to paying railroad fare Detective Nicely picked the man up on the Pennsylvania right-of-way last Friday and on his person was found almost $100 in money and a draft for $50 The fellow told conflicting stories and the officers naturally were suspicious of him. When Mayor Scherer heard the story this morning he assessed a fine of $3 and costs, which Boughman paid and left the court room

Arthur Gaylord, a drunk arrested by Officer Collins, was given a lecture by his honor, and was allowed his liberty on a promise of better behavior He is a young fellow

William Frantz arrested by Officer Greer for drunkenness, was sent to jail for eleven days

Dennis J Daughty and Frank Brown vagrants arrested by Officer Madden, were sent over for fifteen days each

Paul Dunker, arrested by Detective Dinger for trespass, was given eleven days

Emma Sowers accumulated a few pints too much Saturday night, and occupied so much of Columbia street in her meanderings that Sergeant Harkenrider escorted her to the police station to sleep off the "jag" She was followed by several men, one of whom, William Beyers, was arrested Mayor Scherer sent the Sowers woman over to jail for fifteen days, and released Beyers after he explained that he did not even know the woman

POLICE NOTES

Patrol Driver Henry Reichart went on the day trick today noon and Joe Doyle resumes his old place as night man

Illinois relatives are making inquiries for one William McPherson, who is supposed to be in or about Fort Wayne They have some valuable information for him

NORTHERN INDIANA NOTES.

A party of five left South Bend Saturday for Klondike.

The building in which the Bristol Banner was published was destroyed and the newspaper plant was badly damaged

A mail car on the Lake Shore road caught fire in the depot yards at Laporte and several tons of second class matter were destroyed

The Fulton county commissioners have notified the authorities of the town of Rochester that hereafter tramps cannot be lodged in the county jail

Joseph Brower, a well known elder of the Dunkard church in Miami county, committed suicide by hanging himself Financial difficulty was the motive

The Citizens State bank of Rochester has changed hands, passing into control of C C Byer, of Kendallville, J F Byer, of Warsaw, and W A Banta, of Goshen

The trial of Former Treasurer Holdeman of Elkhart county on charge of embezzling county funds is in progress at Goshen Hon Thomas R Marshall, of Columbia City, is assisting in the defense

At South Bend it has been noticed for several mornings that strangers were scattering wheat along the streets The grain is eagerly eaten by English sparrows, which soon die by scores, the wheat being poisoned The dead birds are then gathered by the men The incident has given rise to the belief that the birds are taken to some town where a bounty is offered for dead sparrows and are turned in as having been killed where the bounty is offered

The board of commissioners of Whitley county have instructed the county attorney to bring suit against several former county officials and present incumbents to recover back pay alleged to have been received through illegal allowances

Members of the Amish church in Clinton township combined to oppose the Indiana truancy law Moses Eash was arrested for failure to comply with the law and was fined $10 and costs, $25 in all It was paid by members of the society It is understood that on the advice of lawyers they will offer no further opposition to the law

PREPARING TO VOTE.

Important Meeting of Democratic City Committee.

Will Select Primary Election Officers Tonight—Candidates Will All Be Present

The political pot is beginning to boil, and from today until the first Tuesday in May every voter in Fort Wayne will be talking of the contest for city offices

Allen Hamilton, chairman of the democratic city committee, has called a meeting of the committee to decide on election officers and voting places for the democratic primary election, which will be held April 14. The meeting will be held this evening in the city hall and all democratic candidates have been invited to attend and assist in the selections There are so many candidates including delegates and committeemen, that the work at the primary will be much harder than heretofore and for this reason the committee is determined that arrangements shall be satisfactory to everybody concerned

REPUBLICANS

The republicans are not allowing the grass to grow under their feet either Colonel Oakley is making a strong canvass and sees scores of people every day His supporters are confident, but the Geake men only smile and say their man will certainly win A meeting of the Geake supporters of the second ward was held last Friday evening and the men for Geake delegates were chosen There will be caucuses on each side from now until the primaries are held, March 31, and the fight promises to be a most bitter one. W. T Jefferies has a walk away for clerk

LOCAL LINES.

Born, to Mr and Mrs F M Neilkirk, of 115 Columbia avenue—a girl

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stone, of Liberty street—a son Mr. Stone is the well known traveling man.

Mrs. Carrie M. Sawyer, of Boston, Mass, is the guest of Mr and Mrs J W Vordermark, of 301 East Washington street

Rev A Lang has been granted a permit to build a parsonage on a lot in Fletcher's addition The new dwelling is estimated to cost $3,000

H R Charle, the school teacher for the Trinity Lutheran school in Bloomingdale, arrived in the city last week and yesterday was installed in his new position He is from Hannibal, Mo

The Hibernians have selected the Randall hotel as headquarters during the state meeting to be held in this city April 18, 19 and 20 Several hundred visitors are expected in the city during the convention

R C Miller, of Wabash, passed through the city last night en route to Ohio to attend the funeral of his mother in-law Mr Miller stopped off here several hours to see his daughter, Mrs L G Dailey of West Williams street

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The fac-simile signature of Chas H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

HEAD SWELLED.

McCoy Toyed With Hardenbrook and Now He Begins to Crow.

He Would Have Met the Fate of Mr Bates Had Not Kid McCoy Promised Not to Hurt Him

The following telegram from Walkerton Ind, was printed in the metropolitan papers Sunday morning

"Vern Hardenbrook, of Walkerton heavyweight champion of Indiana, met Kid McCoy last night in a four round go at Fort Wayne and stayed with him to the limit Hardenbrook forced McCoy to the ropes three times, and scored one knock down The rounds were hard fought and McCoy, although fighting his hardest, failed to stop Hardenbrook in the four rounds Hardenbrook was not in good condition having had but little training, which makes his showing with McCoy all the more remarkable It is believed in Indiana sporting circles that Hardenbrook is one of the coming men in the ring"

This article is indeed laughable to the persons who knew anything of the conditions of the meeting Hardenbrook would not go on unless McCoy would promise not to hurt him To this the champion agreed, even making a promise after the two had entered the ring Hardenbrook also made him take off the light gloves and put on the eight-ounce mits Before the men had been in the ring thirty seconds McCoy struck Hardenbrook two blows which had he put force behind them would have knocked the Walkerton comer (?) senseless Referee Brown says that Hardenbrook several times asked McCoy not to hit him so hard and McCoy laughingly replied, "I am only striking you easy blows," or words to that effect

Hardenbrook did not knock McCoy down but the latter slipped and fell and only smiled when he got up In the last round Hardenbrook was on a continual sprint to keep from being hit and once or twice looked appealingly to the timekeeper as if he would appreciate the ringing of the bell And although the "kid" had only played with him, Hardenbrook needed the attention of his seconds before he was able to get out of the ring. Persons who knew the conditions of the match are certain Hardenbrook could have been whipped in less than thirty seconds

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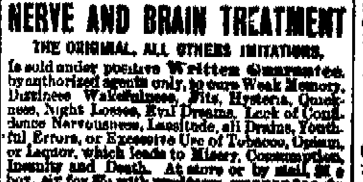

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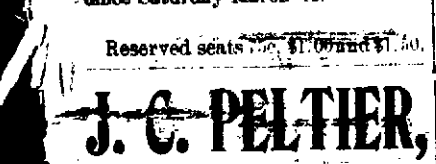

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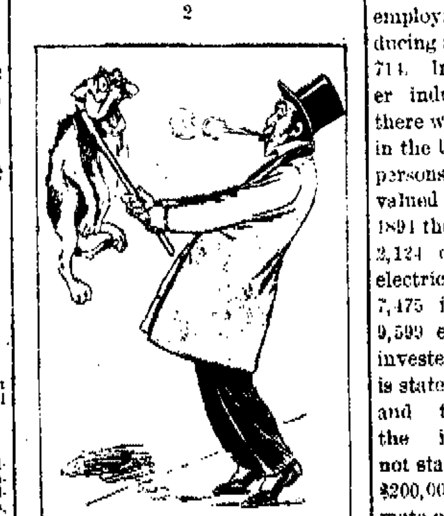

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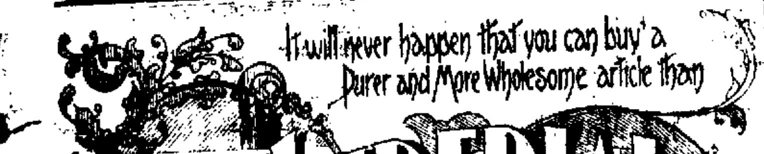

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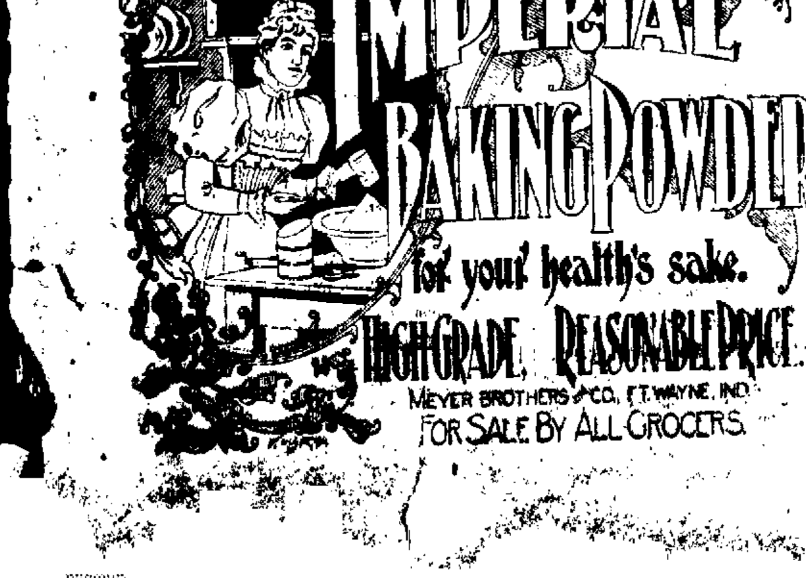

IMPROVEMENTS.

Wonderful Growth of Electrical Apparatus.

Bicycles Also Show a Greatly Increased Sale—The Eel River Line To be Sold to the Lake Shore.

The commissioner of patents has issued his annual report, which shows that the number of applications received for examination during the year was greater than for any other in the history of the office, yet the report says there was no increase in the facilities or force for doing the work. Applications awaiting action December 28, last, numbered 11,382 due to the inadequacy of the office force. For the ten years beginning in 1840 the average number of applicants was 1,156, and for the eight years beginning with 1890 it has grown to 41,479 per year.

The influence of patented inventions is most strikingly shown in the creation of new industries of enormous magnitude since 1880—that is, within the term of patents now in force or but very recently expired. Of these new industries the most noted are those directly connected with the development of electrical inventions. The manufacture of electrical apparatus and supplies began to be of importance shortly before 1880, and in that year seventy-six establishments, employing 1,271 persons and producing an output valued at $2,655,036, were in existence. In 1890 the number of establishments had increased to 189, employing 9,945 persons and producing an output valued at $19,114,714. In the electric light and power industry, as reported in 1880, there were but three establishments in the United States, employing 229 persons and producing an output valued at $458,400. At the close of 1891 there were in the United States 2,124 central stations supplying electricity for light and power and 7,475 isolated plants, a total of 9,599 establishments. The capital invested in these central stations is stated to have been $258,956,256, and the capital invested in the isolated plants, though not stated, was probably not below $200,000,000. A conservative estimate of the number of persons employed at that time in this industry would not be under 45,000. The use of electricity for power purposes has found its most notable development in the electric railway. The first electric street railway in the United States was put in operation little more than ten years ago. In 1880, of the 2,500 road miles of street railway in the United States, nearly all used animal power. The total mileage of electric railways in the United States up to October of 1897 was 13,765 miles and, out of a total mileage of 15,718, but 947 miles were horse car lines. The total capital invested was $946,131,691.

The telephone in 1880 was just beginning to be commercially known. At the close of 1896 there were in the United States 967 telephone exchanges and 832 branch offices, using 536,845 miles of wire and employing 14,425 persons. The total amount stated to be invested in telephone in property in 1895 was $77,500,000.

The great development of the bicycle industry has come since 1890, as a result of the inventions in pneumatic tires made about that time. In 1890 there were reported as engaged in the manufacture of bicycles twenty-seven establishments. In 1895 more than 200 establishments were engaged in the manufacture of cycles and the output of wheels for that year is stated to have not been less than 800,000. The product in 1897 was over 1,000,000 wheels. In 1880 a large proportion of the cycles used were imported, mainly from England. In 1897 the exports of cycles and parts of cycles to England amounted to a value of $2,128,491, and the total exports amounted to a value of $6,902,736.

THE EEL RIVER LINE.

The following telegram appeared in the Chicago papers this morning:

"BUTLER, Ind., March 13.—It is given out here that the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern will acquire the Eel River line, running from Butler to Logansport, now leased by the Wabash, when it is sold as now ordered, but pending action in the supreme court. This would give the Lake Shore its St. Louis and New York line, via the Vandalia, from Logansport. The Wabash people must be contemplating this move, as surveyors are laying out a line from here to New Haven to connect their Toledo line with the Detroit line through here."

That part of the above item which refers to the proposed new Wabash line from New Haven to Butler is probably incorrect, as nothing could be learned here nor in New Haven of such a project being carried out. If surveyors are at work upon a line they are doing it secretly. However, it is the belief of the writer that such a railroad would be a profitable investment for the Wabash and be a great benefit to Fort Wayne.

PERSONAL AND OTHERWISE.

After a week's sickness, H. D. Phillips has resumed work in the Pittsburg lumber yards.

Daniel T. McFee, Nickel Plate engineer, has recovered from his recent illness and is at work again.

Engineers Frank Telley and George Cooper and Firemen Charles Davidson, of the Nickel Plate, are taking a few days' rest.

J. R. Helsworth, of the Pittsburg planing mills, today moved into a comfortable house on Eliza street.

Martin Wambach is again at his post of duty in the Pittsburg machine shop, after an illness of several days.

Louis Altevogt resumed work in the Bass machine shop this morning, after an absence on account of the death of his baby.

D. A. Condon is a new name on the Nickel Plate pay roll, that gentleman having taken a position as brakeman with the company.

Conductor J. M. Wells resumed his run on the Nickel Plate yesterday, after being detained at home a few days by the illness of his wife.

J. G. Nichter, the machinist, whose misfortune was noted in this column Saturday, went to the company's hospital at Peru this morning.

Homeseekers' excursions will be run on all western lines on March 15 and April 5 and 19. The rate will be as usual, one fare plus $2 for the round trip.

John Cattez, the coppersmith, has recovered from an illness which kept him from his work several days. He is employed in the Pittsburg shops.

In one of the big class L locomotives now being built by the Pennsylvania railroad there are 20,005 pieces, including rivets, screws, bolts, nuts, etc.

Pittsburg engine 181, which was taking train 80 east last night, blew out one of her cylinder heads at Ada, Ohio, and had to be relieved by another engine.

One passenger and two freight trains on the Baltimore and Ohio had to detour via. the Wabash at Defiance yesterday on account of a freight wreck near that city.

Erie trainmen are making the largest earnings in the history of the road. During February the engineers averaged $180 to $200 and March promises to do even better.

The hay blockade in the east has been broken and the Pennsylvania and other roads which had stopped shipment for awhile announce that they are again ready to resume that traffic.

Leonard Wood, who visited several days with relatives in this city, has recovered from an attack of quinsy and returned to Huntington, where he is employed in the Erie railroad shops.

Michael Hughes, the machinist, who had three fingers of his left hand taken off last December, has recovered from the injury and this morning resumed his place in the Pittsburg shops.

This morning engines 92, 53, 345, 116 and 416, from the eastern division, and engine 51, from the Chicago yards of the Pennsylvania, came into the Fort Wayne shops for general repairs.

Fred Wolf, the Nickel Plate brakeman, is working again after an absence of several days on account of the sickness of his baby. David Potts, also a brakeman, reported after a few days rest.

Mrs. A. H. Staley, wife of the Nickel Plate brakeman, has improved in health and her husband, who, on account of her sickness, had been laying off for several days, took his run out yesterday.

Casper Lehmkuler, Joseph Junk and Chris Schneider, who had been on the absentee list, reported for duty at the Pittsburg blacksmith shop this morning. Messrs. Lehmkuler and Junk had been sick.

Emil Deister is again an employe of the Bass company, he having taken a position in the machine shop this morning. He learned the trade in that establishment, but for the past year has been employed in the Kerr Murray works.

Henry Keil, timekeeper at the electric works, is taking a two weeks' vacation on account of poor health. His duties at the shop are being performed by Bert Keplinger, while William Melching, a son of the sheriff, is filling the place temporarily vacated by Bert.

The Big Four has asked for bids upon a fine depot which the company proposes to erect in Terre Haute. The building will be 155x62 feet and will be constructed of red pressed brick with terra cotta trimmings. In addition to offices, it will contain large waiting rooms, baggage and express rooms.

Traffic was so heavy on the Nickel Plate Saturday and Sunday that the local engines and crews were compelled to go out with trains of through freight after they brought their local trains in Saturday evening. The men are thus enabled to add considerable to their earnings during the month of March.

J. D. White, the blacksmith, who had been attending the funeral of his wife's sister, Mrs. Belle Francis, at Wabash, has returned to his duties in the Pittsburg shops. The deceased resided in Muncie. On March 1 she was called to Wabash to attend the funeral of her sister, Mrs. Pyle, and a week later she was stricken down.

The trainmen on the Michigan division of the Big Four road complain of the length of their runs and have asked the company to shorten the divisions. They now run from Wabash to Louisville, 192 miles. The men suggest making the runs from Benton Harbor to Anderson, 165 miles, and from Anderson to Louisville, 140 miles, but the company is said to look upon a change of this kind with disfavor

William O'Connell, formerly fireman on the Grand Rapids and Indiana railroad, have returned from the east, where he has been in the bicycle business for the last four years. Mr. O'Connell will open a bicycle store in the city in a few days.

Harry Cragg, a machinist employed at the electric works for the past year or two, put in an application some months ago for a position in a government arsenal. He passed the required examination, but there was no opening at that time and he was told to wait awhile. Saturday he was summoned to Washington and it is presumed that it is for the purpose of entering the service.

On account of a bridge being taken down to allow a dredging machine to pass up the Kankakee marsh, west of Hamlet, yesterday, Pennsylvania trains 8, 2, 3 and 7 had to make a detour by way of the Nickel Plate and the Indiana, Illinois and Iowa roads and were delayed from one to two hours. The bridge was taken down at 7:? and was not again in position until after 10 o'clock last night.

For the fourth week of February the Financial Chronicle reports the gross earnings of seventy-seven American railroads as $7,999,578, an increase, as compared with the corresponding period of last year of $1,204,253, or 17.72 per cent. For the first week of March thirty-four roads report $3,891,827, an increase of $600,628, or 18.25 per cent. For the first week of March the Monon reports gross earning of $58,378, an increase of $11,560.

In the way of eastbound shipments out of Chicago, last week was a record breaker. The aggregate was 158,232 tons, as against 153,827 for the preceding week and 77,193 tons for the corresponding period of a year ago. In this business the Lake Shore leads, its per centage being 16.5. Next in volume of business came the Nickel Plate, with a per centage of 11.1. The balance of the business was about equally divided between the other eight trunk lines.

Miss Edna Thompson entertained friends Saturday afternoon.

OPPOSE THE FIGHTS.

The Ministerial Association Takes Action.

A Statement From Them Opposing the Sparring Events and Calling on the Authorities to Stop Them.

The Ministerial association held a meeting in the Plymouth Congregational church this morning and prepared the following statement, which was handed THE SENTINEL for publication:

"While not wishing to be understood as condemning proper and healthful athletics, we, the Ministerial association do desire to express our thorough and unqualified disapproval of such exhibitions of fistic combat as were presented under the auspices of the Fort Wayne Athletic association last Friday evening at the rink.

"We believe them to be debasing in their general effect, demoralizing to the youth of our city and altogether unnecessary to the proper training of the physical man.

"We respectfully call the attention of the authorities to the fact that there are state laws regulating such exhibitions, and from the very full reports in our city papers we are persuaded that recent exhibitions have approached very nearly, if not exceeded, the limits established by law.

"We regret the very unenviable reputation these exhibitions have established for our city as a result of the large newspaper advertisement they have received."

THE MARKETS.

CHICAGO, March 14.—Wheat—March, $1.01½; May, $1.04; July, 85⅜; Sept., 78⅞; Dec., 78½.

Corn—March, 29⅝; May, 30⅛; July, 31⅝; Sept., 32½.

Oats—March, 25⅞ to ?; May, 26⅛ to ½; July, 21½ to ⅝.

Pork—March, $9.80; May, $9.82½; July, $9.90.

Lard—March, $5.00; May, $5.05 to 5.07½; July, $5.12½ to 5.15.

Ribs—March, $4.97½; May, $4.97½ to 5.00; July, $5.05.

WALL PAPER.

We have the handsomest line in the city.

The large purchase we made enables us to sell Cheaper than others.

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LOCAL NEWS.

H B Guthrie, of Anderson, was registered at the New Aveline Sunday

Mrs. P. J. Hayden has been made a member of the board of directors of the Y. W. C. A.

Miss Jesse Sweet, of Indianapolis, will be the guest of Mrs. Artemus Pickard this week.

Mrs. Theodore Rutiland and daughter, Tyra, will leave Friday for their home in Chicago.

Mrs. Dr. Halloway, of Decatur, spent Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. W. E. Winch, in this city.

The J. P. W. club will be entertained Tuesday evening by Mr and Mrs. Pierce, at their home on East Lewis street

Misses Cora and Lulu Butler and Miss Kate Furthmiller, of New Haven, spent Sunday in the city the guest of friends

Tom W. Houlihan, of Chicago, spent Sunday in the city, the guest of relatives and friends. He returned home this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. John S. House entertained at cards Saturday night at their home, 117 Broadway. The prizes were won by Mrs. W. E. Doud and Mr. Durfee

C. O. Lepper the well known druggist of West Jefferson street, is being urged to stand for one of the democratic councilmanic nominations in the Third ward.

Ben Hur Court, No. 15, Tribe of Ben Hur, will meet this evening as usual in their hall on Court street. Brother Stroh, one of the supreme officers, will visit the court.

Selden Morey has accepted a position as press operator at the Postal telegraph office. The Associated Press report for the Fort Wayne morning papers will hereafter come through the Postal company.

The church history class of the West Creighton avenue Church of Christ will meet tonight at the library room. Every member is requested to be present, and others who desire to take up the work.

Elkhart Review: "C. D. Budd, of St. Louis, the paving contractor, H. C. Hanna, of Fort Wayne, are in the city. Mr. Budd has also retained VanFleet & VanFleet, as he is involved in the injunction suit against the city."

The social given by the Misses Van Tilburg, Stover, Griesmer and Laylander at the home of the latter was a great success, the prizes were won by William Carter, first prize, and Dayton Archibald, bobby. The literary program was very interesting, especially the solos by Misses Eva Moore and Helen Laylander.

A powerful meeting was held last night at the West Creighton avenue Church of Christ. John J. Higgs, preached an interesting discourse upon the "Second Adam." M. K. Griffith sang "Only a Step to the Grave" with good effect. Six persons came forward to the altar of confession. They will be Baptized next Wednesday evening.

Phil Rauh, one of the proprietors of the Aveline house barber shop, cut himself Saturday afternoon in a severe manner while stropping a razor. He was in the act of getting the keen blade into shape to shave a man and in some manner the razor slipped and Mr. Rauh was cut in the thumb and third finger of his right hand. It was necessary to take five stitches in the wound.

The Damrosch Opera company passed through the city, over the Nickel Plate, at 12 o'clock last night. This company has been engaged to give a series of operas during the opera season, which opens at the Auditorium tonight and continues two weeks. Some of the greatest talent of the day, including Mme. Melba and Mme. Nordica, is with the company on this occasion. The party travels by special trains, it requiring fourteen cars to accommodate them and their baggage.

The concert given at the New Aveline house yesterday afternoon by the automatic banjo was listened to by an audience which completely crowded the lobby of the hotel. Piece after piece was encored and the Hoosiers were especially thrilled by the rendition of the latest popular song, "Down on the Banks of the Wabash." Dr. Kalbfleisch, president of the company, and Mrs. Kalbfleisch, of Peru, and Dr. Casebeer, of Auburn, vice-president of the company, were present. W. J. Holt, agent of the new banjo, will leave this morning on a trip to Indiana towns, in which he hopes to place a number of the instruments.

There will be two games of foot ball at the Lakeside park (next Thursday afternoon if the weather will permit sport of that character. The first game will be between the Emmett and the Shamrock clubs, which will be called at 2 o'clock. Immediately following this will be a game between the students of the Brothers' school and those of St. Patrick's school, the participants not to be under twelve years nor over fifteen years of age. Masters Cran, Shea, Murphy and Rohan will select the team for the St. Patrick students and a similar office for the Brothers' school will be performed by Masters Owens, Singleton and Baade.

James Gillie has leased the Black Hawk farm, belonging to Mr. John H. Bass, for a term of years, and will begin the dairy business on an extensive scale. The farm contains 432 acres, and is located near the Goeglein church, three miles east of the Feeble Minded asylum. Mr. Gillie also purchased forty head of Galloway cattle from Mr. Bass, the product of famous Brookside. He will also build and equip a creamery, and intends to make a specialty of dairy products of all kinds. Mr. Gillie is a practical, scientific farmer, thoroughly understands the dairy business, and his many friends extend hearty wishes for his success. The Black Hawk farm is one of the largest and best in the county.

NEW DOCTORS.

A Big Class Will Get Diplomas From the Fort Wayne College Tonight.

The graduating exercises of the class of '98 of the Fort Wayne College of Medicine will be held at Library hall this evening. The public is invited. No admission fee will be charged. This will be the nineteenth annual commencement of the college. The program follows:

Overture, Rosamunde	Schubert
Invocation	Rev. S. Wagenhals
Hochzeitsmarsch	Gottier
Remarks by the Dean	Dr. C. B. Stemen
Grand ... March	Faust

IN MEMORIAM.

Dr. ...	Dr. G. W. McCaskey
Andante ...	Eilers
Address on behalf of ...	Hon. J. Frank Hanley
...	Gounod
Conferring of degree	Rev. Charles Mensilbach
Presentation of diploma	Dr. W. W. Barnett
Awarding of prizes	
Gavotte ...	Moszkowski
Address on behalf of faculty	Dr. W. O. Gross
...	Voelstedt

After the exercises at Library hall a banquet will be tendered the class and alumni at the Randall hotel by the faculty. Following are the young men who will receive their diplomas on that evening: J. W. H. Beach, C. L. Blue, D. I. Dahl, Peter Dahl, G. M. Leslie, F. G. Liesen, J. A. Lomas, F. A. Metts, C. L. Patterson, B. Rhamy, Adolph Wermuth, Clifford J. Wallace, H. A. Varain.

Two small children of W. L. Boothers, living near Knox, were probably fatally burned by the explosion of a can of gunpowder which they had placed upon the stove.

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HARRY F. FRANCE.

FOR MAYOR.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce that I will be a candidate for mayor, subject to the decision of the democratic city nominating convention, April 5, 1897.
HENRY P. SCHEEER.

I hereby announce that I will be a candidate for the office of Mayor, subject to the decision of the Republican nominating convention.
WILLIAM GEAKE.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce that I am a candidate for mayor, subject to the decision of the republican nominating convention.
CHAUNCEY B. OAKLEY.

FOR CITY CLERK.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for city clerk, subject to the decision of the democratic city nominating convention.
HENRY B. MONNING.

WATERWORKS TRUSTEE.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for water works trustee, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.
P. J. SINGLETON.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for waterworks trustee, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention, Tuesday, April 5, 1898.
C. H. WALTEMATH.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for the office of water works trustee, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.
WM. TAGTMEYER.

FOR COUNCILMAN—FIRST WARD.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for councilman from the First ward, subject to decision of the democratic primary.
GEORGE R. HENCH.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for councilman from the First ward, subject to the will of the democratic voters as expressed at the nominating primaries.
EDWARD J. EHRMAN.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce that I will be a candidate for re-election as councilman of the First ward, subject to the democratic primary election.
WILL TIGAR.

FOR COUNCILMAN—SECOND WARD.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce that I will be a candidate for councilman from the second ward, subject to the decision of the democratic city primary.
ALLEN HAMILTON.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for councilman from the Second ward, subject to the decision of the democratic primary.
W. J. ROSEY.

FOR COUNCILMAN—THIRD WARD.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for councilman from the Third ward, subject to the democratic primary.
DAVID S. ECKERT.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a democratic candidate for councilman in the Third ward, subject to the will of the nominating primary of the party.
JOHN O'RYAN.

FOR COUNCILMAN—FOURTH WARD.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce that I will be a candidate for councilman, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating primary in the Fourth ward.
JOHN J. BAUER.

FOR COUNCILMAN—FIFTH WARD.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce that I will be a candidate for councilman from the Fifth ward, subject to the decision of the republican city primary.
J. O. BROWN.

FOR COUNCILMAN—SIXTH WARD.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for councilman from the Sixth ward, subject to the will of the democratic voters as expressed at the nominating primaries.
SYLVESTER MCMAHON.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for councilman from the Sixth ward, subject to the will of the democratic voters as expressed in the nominating primaries.
HENRY SCHWARTZ.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for councilman from the Sixth ward, subject to the decision of the democratic primary.
JAMES CURRY.

FOR COUNCILMAN—SEVENTH WARD.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce that I will be a candidate for councilman of the Seventh ward, subject to the decision of the voters at the democratic primary.
PETER J. SCHEID.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for councilman from the Seventh ward, subject to the decision of the democratic primary.
DANIEL D. GORDON.

FOR COUNCILMAN—EIGHTH WARD.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce that I will be a candidate for councilman from the Eighth ward, subject to the decision of the democratic city primary.
K. K. WHEELOCK.

FOR COUNCILMAN—NINTH WARD.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce that I will again be a candidate for councilman from the Ninth ward, subject to the will of the democrats as expressed at the nominating primary.
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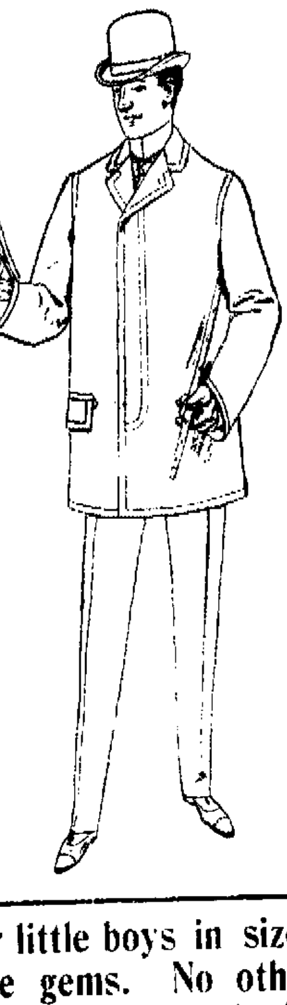

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WANTED—Horse to board, prices reasonable, satisfaction guaranteed, at No. 62 East Wayne street. New phone 143, old phone 366. 12t3

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WANTED—Energetic ladies and gentlemen to canvass; $40 per month guaranteed. Call on or address Pauline Fredrick, 5 East Wayne street city.

WANTED—Trustworthy persons to travel; salary $780 and expenses. reference, inclose self addressed envelope. The Dominion Company, Chicago. 12t3

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In effect Nov. 28th, 1897.

NORTH BOUND.

*For Grand Rapids and north	2 40 am
† ...	3 00 am
† ...	3 35 pm
†From Richmond arrives	3 35 pm

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*For Richmond and Cincinnati	12 05 am
† ...	6 ? am
† ...	12 ? pm
†From Grand Rapids arrives	7 15 pm

*Daily. †Daily except Sunday.

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Time Card, in Effect Dec. 20 '97.

Lv. Fort Wayne Express	5 00 a.m.	7 55 p.m
Ar. Findlay	10 40 a.m.	10 30 p.m.
Ar. Columbus via. T & O C Ry	2 30 p.m.	

Mixed train leaves Fort Wayne 8 20 a.m.
All trains run daily, except Sunday.

WABASH RAILROAD.
Trains from Fort Wayne as follows.
Effective Nov. 14, 1897.

No.	GOING EAST	DEPART
2.	N. Y. & Boston Lim., daily	5 30 a.m
20.	Toledo Local Express ex. Sunday	6 33 a.m.
6.	N. Y. & N. Eng. Flyer, daily	11 50 a.m.
4.	Fast Mail & Ex., ex. Sunday	6 50 p.m.
10.	Decatur Accom. arrives ex. Sunday	8 45 p.m.
	GOING WEST.	
11.	Decatur Accom., ex. Sunday	5 31 a.m.
5.	Pacific Ex., ex. Sunday	9 33 a.m.
7.	Kan. City Cannon Ball, daily	12 35 noon
1.	Government Fast Mail, daily	6 30 p.m.
3.	St. Louis Vestibule Lim., daily	8 05 p.m.

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L. B. & W. TIME TABLE.

SOUTH.

No. 41 leaves (except Sunday)	7 10 a m
No. 43 daily	4 15 p. m
No. 171 Local Freight	6 00 a m.

NORTH.

No. 40 arrives daily	11 40 a m
No. 42 (daily except Sunday)	10 25 p m
No. 170 Local Freight	4 40 p m

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SOUTHWARD.	ARRIVE.
No. 462 Way Freight	3 ? pm
No. 456 Cin. Express and Mail	? am
No. 410 Detroit and Ind'p'lis Express	3 ? pm
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All Women and Children Ordered Removed.

And Preparations for an Attack are Rapidly Being Made—Hostilities Imminent.

NEW YORK, March 14.—The 300 artillerymen ordered from Fort Hamilton and Fort Wadsworth to Sandy Hook were transferred to the latter point today. Under the direction of army engineers hundreds of soldiers and workmen are busy mounting guns, building ramparts and laying other defenses at the Hook. Not since the civil war has such activity been seen there. A train of twenty-one cars, each loaded with a twelve-inch steel mortar, is lying on a siding near the fortifications. It arrived yesterday from the Watervliet arsenal. The work of erecting mounts for the mortars is being rushed. Many mortars are already in place. They are out of sight, in deep pits, in batteries of sixteen each, and cannot be reached by an enemy's guns except by shell. Dozens of eight, ten and twelve inch steel rifles are at the Hook ready for mounting. When the engineers are through, the fortifications will be among the strongest in the world.

All women, and children under sixteen years old, have been ordered from the Hook. The wives of many of the workmen left yesterday. Hundreds of masons, carpenters and other mechanics are working on the additional quarters needed for the artillerymen. They are nearly completed.

TO ACQUIRE SHIPS.

A Board Has Been Created for That Purpose.

NEW YORK, March 14.—The board of auxiliary cruisers of the United States navy, which was appointed to acquire ships of the merchant marine for use in the event of the breaking out of the war, met for organization today, in the Havemeyer building, where the board has secured temporary quarters. Permanent quarters will be taken later, as the board will have a great amount of work to do here. The new board supercedes the office of the United States inspector of merchant vessels, which has been held by Lieutenant Commander J. D. Kelly, in this city, since May of last year. Commander Kelley is a member of the new board. A member of the board said today that it had power to pre-empt any vessel that had been constructed under the subsidy of congress and was engaged in carrying the mails. All vessels will be carefully examined and no worn out hulks will be accepted. "We can easily secure a fine fleet on both coasts," said this gentleman, "from ocean-going tugs to fleet liners like the vessels of the American line."

POWDER AND SHELL.

Battleship Oregon Being Prepared for a Hostile Cruise.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 14.—The battleship Oregon is lying in the stream with scows and schooners all about her. From two of the scows coal is being discharged, from another powder is being hoisted on board the warship and from a fourth shells for the big guns. The ultimate destination of the Oregon is presumably the Atlantic coast. She is taking in one hundred tons of coal, which it is figured will carry her to Callao, as already stated. She will await orders at Valparaiso.

ANOTHER FORECAST.

The President and His Cabinet Alleged to Know What's What.

ST. PAUL, Minn., March 14.—The Globe's Washington special says:

The president and his cabinet know, unofficially, the result of the Maine inquiry. They are prepared to act. They have canvassed the course of events, so far as they can foresee them, and have formulated a policy to meet the emergency. Along its lines the administration expects to move—unless it is swept off its feet by a wave of popular dissatisfaction.

The Globe's special correspondent is able to present the forecast of events as viewed by the president and his cabinet. It can be outlined thus:

1. The board of inquiry will report this week that the explosion was external.

2. The president will immediately, through Minister Woodford, demand from Spain an indemnification of $10,000,000.

3. Spain is expected to reply expressing her willingness to pay if she is responsible, but maintaining that her own investigation shows that the explosion was internal and purely accidental. She will therefore suggest reference to an international board of arbitration.

4. In such an event the administration would be disposed to comply with the suggestion—unless there is an emeute in Havana, or an irresistible demand for war sweeps through congress.

5. If congress acquiesces in the suggestion, the attempt will be made to adjourn that body and leave the whole matter in the president's hands.

6. It is expected that a large majority of congressmen will claim that such a matter of honor cannot be arbitrated. It is further expected that the leaders of both houses, including Senator Davis of Minnesota, will favor arbitration.

HER SECURITIES GO DOWN.

Spanish Fours Score Sharp Decline in European Exchanges.

LONDON, March 14.—Spanish fours on the stock exchange today opened at 53¼ against 55, the closing quotations of Saturday. Later Spanish fours further declined to 52¼.

PARIS, March 14.—On the bourse today Spanish fours opened at 54 5-16, 5-16 lower than Saturdays closing prices.

MADRID, March 14.—Spanish fours here today were quoted at 76.60 against 77, the closing price Saturday.

BOATS FROM HAVANA.

KEY WEST, Fla., March 14.—The American yacht Buccanneer arrived here this morning from Havana, and the United States coast survey vessel Bache sailed this morning for Havana. The newspaper dispatch boats Dewey, Echo and Confidence arrived here from Havana and shortly afterwards returned to that port.

EUROPEAN WATERS DESERTED.

WASHINGTON, March 14.—Cablegrams received at the navy department today announce that the Bancroft sailed yesterday from Lisbon for Norfolk, and the Helena from Key West to join the squadron. This leaves Admiral Howell at Lisbon with his flagship San Francisco as the sole representative of the United states navy in European waters.

THE DONS DID IT.

Blew Up the Maine by Submarine Mine.

No Doubt Now of the Cause of the Explosion—Deplorable Condition of the Cubans.

WASHINGTON, March 14.—Col. Myron M. Parker, one of the leading business men of Washington, who accompanied Senator Proctor on his recent visit to Cuba, said today that the Americans on the island had no doubt that the disaster to the Maine was caused through Spanish agency. Their belief, however, he said, could not be traced to any authoritative source and it was conceded by all persons that the court of inquiry and other persons connected with the investigation had not given any intimation of what the evidence disclosed. Nevertheless, he said, there was absolutely no difference of opinion among the Americans as to the cause of the disaster having been an external explosion. The insurgents, Colonel Parker thought, were in better shape than ever before and would be able to accomplish their independence in time. The Cubans, as a rule, he believed, would be glad to see the island come under the American flag and would do what they could to bring about that result. The colonel reiterated his statement of last night that the situation of the reconcentrados was deplorable in the extreme. They were confined within narrow limits and practically left to starve.

PIONEER MISSIONARY.

Dr. Young J. Allen, the Best Known White Man in the Chinese Empire.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 14.—Probably the best known white person in the Chinese empire is Dr. Young J. Allen, who has just arrived here. Dr. Allen has been engaged in missionary work at Shanghai for the past forty years. He is one of the officers of the society for the diffusion of Christian and general knowledge among the Chinese, which, during the past year, published and distributed of Dr. Allen's works alone 189,000 volumes, in the Chinese language. The mission with which he is identified was established fifty years ago, and he is now on his way to attend the semi-centennial celebration of the event, which is to be held in Baltimore in May.

MURDERED.

Wolfjoel Shot and Killed by an Ex-Soldier.

CAPE TOWN, March 14.—Mr. Wolfjoel, the trustee of the estate of the late Barney Barnato, the South African millionaire, was shot in his office this morning at Johannesburg by a former soldier.

LONDON, March 14.—It is said in this city that Mr. Wolfjoel, the nephew of Barney Barnato, is dead as the result of the shot.

MORE GOLD.

Large Shipment Ordered From Europe by Bankers.

NEW YORK, March 14.—It is announced that J. and W. Seligman & Co. have ordered $500,000 additional gold from Europe. Kidder, Peabody & Co., of Boston, will import $500,000 in gold from England; the National City bank of New York, $365,000; Heidlebach, Ickelheimer & Co., $350,000, and Kessler & Co., $500,000.

GOT THE SHIPS.

Reported Purchase by the United States is Confirmed.

Chili Refuses to Sell Ships to Spain.

The Brooklyn Arrives at Fortress Monroe.

Senator Proctor Gives the Details of His Cuban Trip to the President—The Situation at the Capital.

WASHINGTON, March 14.—The reported sale to the United States of the two Brazilian cruisers, Amazonas and Admiral Breu, now receiving their finishing touches in an English shipyard, was confirmed here this afternoon. It is learned also that Spain has not secured the O'Higgins, and that Chili will not sell her to Spain. It is said furthermore that Spain has not and cannot purchase ships from either Chili or the Argentine Republic.

The big armored cruiser Brooklyn arrived at Fortress Monroe this morning direct from La Gayara, Venezuela. She made a fine run up and, it is expected, will await at Hampton Roads the arrival of the Minneapolis and Columbia, which are just fitting out at Philadelphia. This force will form an excellent nucleus for the projected "flying squadron" in case the department decides to form one.

Senator Proctor called at the war department today to see Secretary Alger. He was given right-of-way over a number of persons who were waiting for the secretary in the reception room and for nearly half hour recited to Secretary Alger the events and observations of his Cuban trip.

Later Senator Proctor called at the white house and had quite an extended conference with the president, to whom he narrated his observations in Cuba.

WASHINGTON, March 14.—Conditions appear to be quieter on the surface at the navy department today. Probably this was because Secretary Long, Captain Crowninshield, chief of the navigation bureau, Engineer in Chief Melville and other leading bureau officers of the department were called to the capitol during the forenoon to inform the appropriations committee of the needs of the naval service in the matter of legislation. In the various bureaus, however, there was a hum of industry and the work progressed as incessantly and steadily as for the past two weeks. The recruiting branch of the navy department is naturally one of the biggest branches of the service just now. It is in the temporary command of Captain Hemphill during the absence in the south of Captain Hawley and he was busy today with representatives of the railroads engaged in arranging for transportation of recruits to the sea board and of sailors already in the service from one port to another made necessary by the commission of new ships.

A problem that confronts the recruiting office is to procure the necessary force of enlisted men for manning the two ships which have been purchased from Brazil, the Amazonas and the Admiral Breu. The officers of the navigation bureau are making all arrangements for the speediest possible delivery of the two ships on this side of the Atlantic. It probably will require about 250 men for each ship and the question is whether these men shall be hired abroad in England under special arrangements for the one trip or whether a regular crew shall be sent out from the United States to bring them home. The first method is undoubtedly the quickest, but it will not be available in case there should be an open rupture before the completion of the two ships.

HOIST THE FLAG.

The Stars and Stripes on the Late Brazilian Ship.

WASHINGTON, March 14.—Orders have been sent to Commodore Howell, commanding the European station to send a force of men from the San Francisco to take possession of and hoist the United States flag on the Brazilian ship, that it is ready to go into commission at New Castle. This will prevent any difficulty in case hostilities should break out as the ship would be under the flag but lying in a friendly harbor.

FREE RIDES A CRIME.

Governor Pingree Issues a Proclamation on Passes.

DETROIT, Mich., March 14.—Governor Pingree has issued another proclamation regarding railroad passes, in which he declares their acceptance a crime under the laws of the state, and calls upon justices of the peace, prosecuting attorneys and judges of the higher courts to enforce the law and prosecute all violators of it.

He also calls upon the clergymen to stop accepting reduced rates, for the reason that it robs the school children, as the tax on earnings goes for educational purposes.

The governor concludes by saying it is useless to have laws unless they are enforced and obeyed.

A NEW ROAD.

Detroit and Toledo Will Have an Electric Line.

It Will be in Operation by September 1 and Will Do Freight and Passenger Business.

CHICAGO, March 14.—A new air line from Detroit to Toledo is to be built. Work on its construction has already begun and it is expected to be finished not later than September 1, and through trains may be running over it some time in August. While the road is to be built after the most approved pattern of steam roads, the peculiar feature of it is it will be operated by electricity. In this respect it will be remarkable as being the first railroad of any consequence in this country to be operated by this motive power. John C. Shaffer, of this city, is the organizer of the new company. He has associated with him a syndicate of capitalists of Chicago, Pittsburg, and Detroit. A right of way for the entire distance between the two cities named has been surveyed and secured and part of the route has already been graded.

LOCAL LINES.

Abe Levy, of Levy Bros., of Barr street, left for New York and Boston on business.

The Lathers' union will meet tonight, and will meet regularly every Monday night hereafter.

Supreme Trustee Stroh, of the Order of Ben Hur, is in the city and will be the guest of the local order tonight.

Rezin Orr was in the city Saturday, en route to Roanoke and Columbia City, where he will visit a few days with relatives.

The board is holding a meeting in the health office this afternoon. The principal matter under consideration is the investigation to be made into the health of dairy cattle.

A petition for a brick pavement in the alley between Wayne and Washington streets, from Rockhill to College street, was filed with the board of public works this morning.

Mr. Levington informs THE SENTINEL that the young ladies who left his employ last Saturday did so on account of the discharge of a foreman and not because of an objectionable foreman.

JUDGED BY HIS POLISH.

It Is Not Always the Polished Gentleman Who Is the Gentleman of Real Polish.

The reporter had stopped in the office of the laundry to leave an order. As he came in a young man who might have come from New Jersey or Newfoundland passed out.

"He hasn't been in the city long," remarked the clerk, with a smile which was not wholly complimentary to the departed.

"Who is he?" inquired the reporter.

"Don't know; never saw him before in my life."

"How do you know he is new to the town?"

"He wanted a shine on his shirt, a polish on his linen, as Boston persons call it."

"Does newness in town have anything to do with it?"

"Does it?" and the clerk's tone indicated how sorry he was for the reporter's ignorance, "Well, I should say it did. When a man's been living in the city any time, he hasn't got any use for shiny shirt fronts and likewise the collars and cuffs that go with them. Take a yap from the raw districts, and the first thing he wants to put on when he strikes the town is a shirt he can see himself in the bosom of. Then he wants his cuffs to glisten to match, and his collar is a rank failure if it doesn't look like it had been soaked overnight in an enamel bath. That's for the first half dozen washes or so. Then he begins to think different, depending on the kind of society he trains with, and pretty soon he asks for a 'domestic finish,' and it ain't long after that until he begins to think that a shiny shirt front is something positively dreadful, and if we happen to get the least bit of a shine on his stuff he wants to slug somebody. A really and truly swell, don't you know, would a blamed sight rather be seen drunk at a social function than to be seen there wearing linen with a shine on it.

"Still there are some right nice men yet living who like to have shiny linen. They are mostly old fellows, and they like the shine because it looks cleaner after a little wear. Of course these old chaps are of the left overs, the style once being with everybody to have shiny linen. That's where the laundry ran out the washerwoman, who hadn't the machinery to shine with, and she lost her customers. She's coming in again though now, for the shine isn't the thing any more, and no machine laundering is equal to the hand work for real swell finish. The country laundry is yet doing the bulk of its work with a shine on, and the countryman, like the one you just saw go out, is known by the polish on his linen."—Detroit Free Press.

NO DOUBT NOW.

H. H. Reiter Was the Man Who Was Lost on the Desert.

Another Letter Received Today From A. M. Parke.

Will Forward the Son's Valise to George Reiter.

Mr. Reiter is Convinced That His Son Is Dead, but Will Try to Get Further Facts From DeLamar, Nev.

George Reiter received another letter from A. M. Parke, of Aspen, Colo., giving further particulars of the mysterious disappearance of his son, Henry Harrison Reiter.

Mr. Parke was satisfied with the identification and has forwarded Harrison's valise, which Mr. Reiter had not received at noon today.

Mr. Parke says that with Reiter were two brothers named Fisk, and another person whose name was to him unknown. They left DeLamar, Nev., together, became separated, and the stranger found his way back to DeLamar. He got together a searching party and found the Fisk brothers, but could get no trace of Harrison. Mr. Parke married a sister of the Fisks, and in this way became interested in the story. The fourth man of the party has gone to Alaska and the letter intimates that Harrison may have gotten through to Vanderbilt, Cala., but the chances were all against him. Mr. Reiter does not believe that his son is alive, but will probably write to the officers at DeLamar in the hopes of getting some facts other than those given by Mr. Parke.

ELEVEN BURNED TO DEATH

Cremated in An Early Morning Blaze in a Lodging House in New York.

NEW YORK, March 14.—Eleven lodgers in the Bowery Mission lodging house, conducted at 105 Bowery by the Christian Herald, were burned to death in the fire which practically ruined the three upper floors of the five-story structure early Sunday morning. The others of the 160 occupants escaped by the stairways or were taken down on ladders by the firemen when unable to climb down the fire escapes.

So many bodies were found by the firemen and the policemen in the early stages of the search that it was estimated over forty persons had been killed. The officers, however, fortunately overestimated the loss of life. It is thought by the police that only one of the eleven bodies will be identified. This one is designated as No. 10. It was found in a room on the fifth floor. In the same room there was a satchel, and it is thought its contents may lead to identification of the body.

The loss on the building is estimated at $7,000, and the contents are damaged to the extent of $5,000. The loss is covered by insurance. The building belongs to the Chester estate.

HACKNEY IS FAVORED.

Indiana Gold Democrats Will Support the Supreme Court Jurist.

INDIANAPOLIS, March 14.—The fight being made upon Judge Hackney of the supreme court by some of the free silver leaders has resulted in a decided sentiment among gold democrats to place him upon their judicial ticket, or, if he is nominated by the regular democracy to indorse him and the other two democratic judges.

While Judge McCabe was a delegate to the Chicago convention, and represented Indiana on the platform committee, the gold democrats say he is a candidate for a nonpolitical office and should be judged by his record as a judge, and not by his record as a politician, and they can, therefore, consistently place him and Judges Hackney and Howard upon their judicial ticket.

Under the new law the name of a candidate can appear but once on the official ballot, and if the three judges are nominated by the free silver wing they will likely be indorsed by the gold democrats.

GAS WASTERS ENJOINED.

Five of Standard Oil Company's Wells Are Plugged.

ANDERSON, Ind., March 14.—Late Saturday night Judge McClure granted the first injunctions under the ruling of the supreme court, which upheld the constitutionality of the anti-waste natural gas laws. The injunctions shut off five of the Standard's oil wells in this county which are blowing off gas. They were plugged yesterday.

The Ohio Oil company is also plugging all of its wells and other operators are doing the same thing in order to head off injunction suit costs. By tonight it is thought the oil industry in the Indiana gas belt will be entirely closed.

State Gas Inspector Leach began a flying tour of the gas belt today under orders from Governor Mount, and will use the injunction freely and shut off every oil well that is wasting gas.

GREAT GOLD LEDGE FOUND.

Remarkable Discovery in Harquahala Mountains, Ari.

PHOENIX, Ari., March 14.—Michael Fitzpatrick, from the Harquahala mountains, brings news of the discovery by him of one of the most wonderful gold ledges of Arizona, a statement that is apparently borne out by the specimens at hand.

Fitzpatrick says that shortly after he made the discovery three men who had been working a copper claim near by raided his claim with shotguns and drove him from the place.

Fitzpatrick and an officer will leave shortly for the mine.

TO THE GROUND

Was the Alabama Saw Mill of Aurentz Brothers Burned.

Had Lots of Former Fort Wayne Residents—Loss Estimated at More Than $40,000.

A dispatch from Decatur, Ala., says:

"Saturday evening at 6 o'clock fire broke out in the engine room of George Arantz's Sons' large saw mills. Before fire companies could get there the fire was beyond control. The whole mill property is destroyed at a loss of $40,000. Arantz Brothers located here in 1881 with the largest band saw mills in Alabama. They shipped lumber to England for the English navy and furnished the quartered oak that went into W. H. Vanderbilt's New York residence. They employed over 200 men, who will be thrown out of work. Fifty thousand dollars' worth of lumber stacked in the yard was saved."

The owners of the mill are sons of Philip Aurentz, of East Washington street, and formerly resided in Fort Wayne. About seventeen or eighteen years ago the brothers, Frank, George, William and one other left the Summit City and established themselves in business in the growing south and are now among the south's enterprising citizen's. Relatives in Fort Wayne had heard nothing of the loss of the mill until informed by THE SENTINEL reporter. A. D., S. A., Robert and Al. Aurentz are cousins of the Alabama brothers.

DEATHS AND FUNERALS.

Sunday morning at 7 o'clock occurred the death of Barbara Seiler, aged 71 years. Mrs. Seiler was one of the oldest residents Adams township, having arrived in this county from Germany fifty-five years ago. A week ago last Saturday she came to Fort Wayne to attend church, stopping at the home of her son-in-law at 177 Madison street. Sunday the lady became quite ill and was not able to be taken home, death claiming her one week later. Mrs. Seiler leaves six children as follows: Peter, Joseph and Frank, of Adams township; Mary, of this city; Mrs. Jacob Hoffman, of Marion township, and Mrs. Anthony Nusbaum. Twenty-two grandchildren and six great-grandchildren also survive her. The funeral will occur Wednesday morning at 9 a. m. from the residence, and at 9:30 from St. Mary's Catholic church.

MARTIN.

Salamanca A., eight-months-old child of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Martin, died Sunday afternoon of bronchitis, at the home of the parents, No. 200 West Washington street. The funeral will occur Wednesday morning at 8:30 from the house and half an hour later from the Cathedral.

TANIUS.

Early this morning, at Hope hospital, occurred the death of Amelia Tanius, aged twenty-nine years. Death resulted from peritonitis. The remains were taken to the home of deceased parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eugert Huhn, 236 Smith street. The lady leaves four children. The funeral will probably occur Wednesday.

CRAWFORD.

The remains of Nellie Blanche Crawford arrived in the city Sunday evening from Cleveland, Ohio, and the funeral occurred this afternoon from Cavalry U. B. church, Rev. Ballinger officiating.

BROWN.

James E. Brown, of 270 East Lewis street, has gone to Nevada, Ohio, where his mother, Mrs. Joseph Brown, died last night. The deceased was the grandmother of Mrs. L. G. Dailey, of West Williams street, but that lady is ill and will be unable to attend the funeral.

DOLAN.

The remains of Albert E. Dolan arrived in the city from Chicago and were taken to the home of Dennis McKering, No. 74 Walnut street. The funeral occurred this morning.

ARMSTRONG.

Sunday morning at the home of his daughter, Mrs. C. L. Crume, occurred the death of Lewis Armstrong, aged eighty years. Death resulted from a complication of diseases superinduced by old age. The funeral occurs tomorrow afternoon.

H. F. Mote, of Montpelier, Ind., is in the city, and will attend an open meeting held under the auspices of Barbers' union No. 14, at their hall over 11 West Main street, this evening. The subject of the address of Mr. Mote will be the barbers' license bill. A convention composed of delegates from all the local barbers' unions of the state will be held next Monday at Anderson. All barbers, whether bosses or journeymen, are expected to be present. A representative to the convention at Anderson will be chosen tonight.

The Laundry Workers' union will meet this evening.

IMPORTANT RULING.

Liquor License Case Decided by Judge O'Rourke.

License Must Date From the Day It is Issued.

Justice of the Peace Hears a Divorce Suit.

Criminal Cases Set for Trial—Damage Suit Argued—The News of the Courts.

Today in the circuit court Judge O'Rourke rendered an important decision in a liquor license case and it will have an important bearing on a question that has greatly vexed the city and county authorities. Judge O'Rourke's ruling in substance holds that the one year term of a liquor license begins on the day it is granted by the board of county commissioners and not on the day when the bond is given by the applicant to the county auditor and the license taken out. The suit on which the decision was rendered was the case of the state vs. Paul Laible. License was granted to Laible by the commissioners January 1, 1897. He did not take out his license until April 10, following. Last February Laible was arrested at the instance of Prosecutor Doughman for selling liquor without a license. He was tried before Justice France and fined $20 and costs. An appeal was taken to the circuit court, the defendant holding that his license did not expire until a year from the date on which it issued. He set forth that he had been arrested twice before he took out his license for having none and that he was entitled to a year's protection under the grant. Judge O'Rourke held that the state could not contemplate any penalty he had suffered by his own negligence and that it was utterly impossible that the statute should contemplate the investiture of the applicant with the right to determine when the term of his license should begin and end. That power was vested solely in the county commissioners. The city and county has had much trouble from saloon men who have held contrary to this view of the matter and Judge O'Rourke's decision is therefore important. Laible stayed the docket for about $17. The case may be appealed to the supreme court and a final ruling secured.

DIVORCE IN JUSTICE COURT.

The story comes from Monroeville that Justice McCormick, of Monroe township has enlarged his jurisdiction and has sat in judgment in a divorce suit. Mrs. Luther Taylor and her liege lord, having domestic infelicities, the wife decided to follow the fashion and get a divorce. She brought her suit in Justice McCormick's court. Judge McCormick, not being certain of his jurisdiction, would not enter a decree annulling the marriage, but sat as arbitrator, and after hearing the evidence, counseled the parties to divide their domestic belongings and separate. This was done. To the judge's ineffable disgust, however, the pair, after three days' separate existence, decided they could dwell less happily apart than together and moved in beneath the same rooftree. This is probably the first instance in the annals of Indiana courts where a divorce suit was brought in a justice court.

CRIMINAL CASES SET.

The following criminal cases have been set for trial in the circuit court:

Lewis Wiley, petit larceny, Tuesday.

William Wallace, assault and battery with intent to kill, Wednesday.

John Zaner, obtaining money by false pretence, Thursday.

OTHER COURT NOTES.

The suit of Judge S. M. Hench vs. Richard Klein, the furrier, for $150 attorney's fees, is on trial in the circuit court. It is developing some interesting testimony that if true is extremely comprising of the defendant.

The argument of council in the damage suit of Ulmer vs. Geake & Henry is in progress in the superior court. The case will go to the jury tomorrow.

William Reaner has sued Frederick Wierston, et al., in the circuit court for possession of real estate and damages.

In the circuit court Hannah M. Galloway, et al., has commenced suit against Simon M. Galloway, et al., for partition of real estate.

In the superior court the Keeley Brewing company has sued George M. Stier for $1,000 on note and accounts.

Henry Lagemann has commenced suit in the superior court for divorce from Ella Lagemann.

LICENSED TO WED.

Lawrence B. West and Grace L. Conover.

William J. Stirlen and Blanche Baker.

LIKE THEIR PASTOR.

St. Paul M. E. Church Ask for the Return of Rev. M. C. Cooper.

The congregation of St. Paul M. E. church have unanimously asked for the return of their pastor, Rev. M. C. Cooper. At the regular evening services Sunday, Dr. C. B. Stemen preached, and at the close of his sermon requested all the members of the church who approved the labors of Rev. Cooper and desired his return, to rise to their feet. All stood up. Rev. Cooper is now serving his eighth year as pastor of a Methodist church in Fort Wayne. He was for two years in charge of Simpson church and then had St. Paul church for four years. Two years ago he returned to St. Paul's, and it is probable that the wishes of his congregation will be acceded to by the conference. Rev. Cooper enjoys a distinction enjoyed by few pastors in his church, having served one congregation so long.

CUPID IMPATIENT.

March Purloins a Wedding From June.

Grace L. Conover Married to Lawrence B. West—A Pleasant Surprise to Their Friends.

To-day at noon, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Norton Conover, 151 Harrison street, occurred the marriage of Grace L. Conover to Lawrence B. West, of Louisville, Ky. Rev. L. L. Henson, pastor of the First Baptist church, performed the ceremony.

There is a pleasant flavor of romance in the felicitous event, and it involves the story of an impatient lover, a willing fiancee, a quickly arranged ceremony and a union of two fond hearts and the blending of two devoted lives in the sacred bonds of wedlock.

The friends of the bride were aware that her troth had been plighted to Mr. West, but the bridal day had been set for June, the month that lovers and poets have singled out of time for Cupid's busy season. Mr. West came to the city Saturday to visit his fiancee over Sunday and it was yesterday that the impatient lover prevailed upon the bride-elect to consent to an immediate wedding.

The arrangements were kept a secret until this forenoon. At 11:30 Mr. Conover, father of the bride, was summoned home from his duties as foreman of THE SENTINEL job rooms, and was then first made aware of the impending event. Only the immediate family of the bride were present when the ceremony was solemnized. The bride was prettily attired in a traveling costume. Immediately after the wedding the happy couple took their departure over the Pennsylvania road for Chicago, where they will be the guests a few days of Mrs. West, mother of the groom, after which they will proceed to Louisville, their future home.

The bride is a charming and cultured young lady and a favorite in a large circle of friends in this city. She is a graduate of the Fort Wayne high school and has for three years been a teacher in the public schools. This morning she tendered to Trustee Schmetzer, of Wayne township, her resignation as teacher of the Philley school, on the Decatur road, where she has been employed this winter. Mr. West is superintendent for the Barber Asphalt company and has an extensive acquaintanceship in Fort Wayne. He is a rising young business man, with a promising future. A host of surprised friends will make haste to congratulate the newly wedded pair.

SONS OF ERIN.

They Will Celebrate St. Patrick's Day in Grand Style.

A Grand Parade Through the Streets in the Morning and Later Services at the Cathedral.

The Hibernians met yesterday and completed arrangements for the celebration of St. Patrick's day. In the morning at 8 o'clock there will be a grand parade, headed by the full City band, Mayor Scherer and Sheriff Melching included.

First in the line of march will be the Hibernian Rifles, next will be the county board of the A. O. H., division No. 1, A. O. H.; division No. 3, A. O. H., and then following, citizens on foot. At 10 o'clock Rev. Wimsey will deliver a sermon at the Cathedral.

The following line of march has been decided upon: Form on Lewis street, east to Clinton, north to Washington, east to Barr, north to Berry, west to Broadway, south to Jefferson, east to Griffith, south on Griffith and Fairfield to DeWald, east to Calhoun, north to Library hall.

At 10:30 Bishop Rademacher will celebrate pontifical high mass.

Councilmen McMahon and Glenn, of the council election committee, this morning met and selected inspectors for the several election districts. They are making a tour of the districts this afternoon selecting voting places. Many of the old inspectors were re-appointed and the voters will also cast their ballots in the same places as heretofore wherever possible.

There will be a free demonstration of the Velox paper from 2 to 4 p. m. tomorrow at the Kodak store of M. L. Jones, 44 Calhoun street. All amateur photographers are invited.

Our tables are now covered with novelties in men's and boys' spring suits and light box overcoats.
REUBEN S. PATTERSON.

SWIFT'S SPECIFIC

is far ahead of any blood remedy on the market, for it does so much more. Besides removing impurities, and toning up the run-down system, it cures any blood disease. It matters not how deep-seated or obstinate, which other so-called blood remedies fail to reach. It is a real blood remedy for real blood diseases.

Mr. Asa Smith, of Greencastle, Ind., writes: "I had such a bad case of Sciatic Rheumatism that I became absolutely helpless—unable to take my food or handle myself in any way. I took many patent medicines, but they did not reach my trouble. One dozen bottles of S. S. S. cured me sound and well, and I now weigh 170."

Books on blood and skin diseases mailed free by Swift Specific Company, Atlanta, Ga.

The Evening Sentinel.

BY E. A. K. HACKETT.

MONDAY, MARCH 14, 1898.

TONIGHT.

Lodges—Sol. D. Bayless lodge; Fort Wayne lodge, No. 14, I. O. O. F.; Phoenix, K. of P., Ben Hur court, No. 15; Ben Hur court, No. 15; Modern Woodmen, No. 4761.

Ladies G. A. R.—G. W. Stark circle, No. 18.

True Blue Hall—Twelve o'clock social.

Barbers' Union—Regular meeting.

Bricklayers' Union — Regular meeting.

West Creighton Avenue Church—Church History, class meets.

Carpenters' Union—Regular meeting at hall, 54 East Main street.

Baptist Guards—Regular meeting.

Lathers—Regular meeting.

Laundry Workers—Regular meeting.

Masonic Temple—Attractions for the week:

Tuesday—Gen. J. B. Gordon, lecture.

Wednesday — Francis Wilson in "Half a King."

Thursday—Stuart Robson in "The Jucklins."

In the event of war there is likely to be a fresh impetus given to the rush for Klondike.

As that fifty million melts away the more positive becomes the opinions of certain newspapers that there will be no war with Spain. Mr. McKinley will soon discover that eternal vigilance is the price of his administration's good repute. The hurried expenditure of $50,000,000 in an emergency like the present is bound to be fruitful of more or less scandal.

THE insurrection against the Spanish power in the Philippines, which was reported suppressed, has broken out again more actively than before, and wherever any people are in revolt against Spain they receive the sympathy of outsiders. Over a considerable portion of the globe at present the production of the Spanish flag is received with hisses and of any insurgent flag with cheers.

IN the town of Churubusco the Woman's Christian Temperance union has just completed a successful campaign against the saloons. The ladies adopted a rational procedure and did not rely on the doubtful force of abstract sentiment. They presented to the Whitley county commissioners remonstrances from the necessary number of resident property holders as provided by the Nicholson law and prevented the issue of any license for saloons in their town. Churubusco will be without a saloon for the first time in many years, if such a condition has ever existed there heretofore.

AFTER an investigation which consumed all told about half a working day the Spanish court of inquiry is enabled to report that the Maine was destroyed by an accidental explosion that occurred within her hull. No Spanish diver has ever been inside the dismantled hull of the Maine and so far as the Spanish court of inquiry has learned anything from direct investigation it is as ignorant as the veriest land-lubber who can not tell a warship from a circus balloon. However, the report of the Spanish court will answer as the basis of contention of any demands the United States may make for indemnity and that seems to have been the purpose

AN unmistakable sign of the thoroughness of the preparations for war with Spain, it is claimed by naval officers, is the placing by Secretary of the navy Long of a large order for quills for the Key West naval station. These quills were designed by Professor Marion of the United States naval academy, and are for use in connection with a messenger pigeon service to be at once established at Key West. The quills are attached to the birds and are to contain messages. The pigeons are to be put on the ships of Admiral Sicard's squadron and established in a cote at the naval station, so that they can be used to carry messages back and forth to the ships when they are at sea off the coast of Cuba.

THE liquor traffic will not be in the least benefited by the plea made in its behalf by the Rev. Mr. Eierman, pastor of an Evangelical church in Cincinnati. The saloon is not in need of any moral aid, least of all from the pulpit. It is doing well. It is growing and flourishing nearly everywhere and is performing its purpose and object, which is not, as some of its volunteer and foolish champions like the Rev. Mr. Eirman asserts, to fulfill the law and afford a high grade of social enjoyment, but to sell drinks and make money for the proprietors. The saloon is not asking for clerical assistance, and it is not part of the business of the man who is pointing his hearers to the New Jerusalem to recommend any resort kept by "Mike" or "Charley." There is no preacher in the land who can bring together two things that are as far apart as the pulpit and the dram-shop.—Kansas City Star

THE nations of Europe are opening their eyes in wonder at the display of energy by the United States in its preparations for war and the disclosure of our marvelous resources. The appropriation of $50,000,000 to begin preparation, the purchase of immense stores of munitions and ordnance, the enlistment of men for army and navy, the negotiation for the purchase of foreign warships at once and for cash, the rushing of warships into commission and the refitting of scores of older vessels, the completion and manning of coast defenses and the rearrangement of military departments have all enforced upon the outside world that the United States, while not a bellicose nation, is not unprepared for war nor afraid of hostilities. The object lesson will be studied by other nations than Spain.

THE Emperor William II has just had two packs of cards made after his own design and, as may be imagined, they are very peculiar. Instead of the traditional figures, the kings and queens are represented by sovereigns at present reigning in Europe. For the knaves the emperor, with questionable taste, has chosen the features of the principal ministers of the German empire. The king of hearts is Leopold II, king of Belgium, in allusion to his well-known gallantry; the king of diamonds, Humbert I, of Italy, from his taste for diamonds; the king of spades, the Emperor Nicholas of Russia, and the king of clubs, his imperial majesty himself. The queen of hearts is Queen Victoria, the queen of diamonds, Queen Margherita of Italy; the queen of spades, the czarina, and the queen of clubs, not the emperor's own wife, but the Empress Elizabeth of Austria. There are only two sets of these cards in existence. They were made at the imperial manufactory of Altenburg, near Berlin.

Stop It—Stop It Now.

This enlightened nation can not escape the duties and responsibilities that civilization and Christianity impose. In the name of all the humanities, let the United States cry a halt upon the monstrous iniquities of Spanish rule in Cuba. Too much blood has been consecrated to freedom in the western hemisphere to allow it tolerable to freemen that tyranny may exact the awful tribute of a thousand lives a day and render no account.

Armed conflict in Cuba is costing but few lives. Spanish policy is wiping out at the appalling rate of 100 per hour the lives of peaceable men, helpless women and innocent babes. Starvation and pestilence, hell-born horrors a thousand fold more poignant than all the multiplied plagues of war, have transformed the Cuban towns, in which the populace is herded, into death-pens where each new day beholds fresh hecatombs borne unshrived, unshrouded and uncoffined to charnal-trenches reeking with the dead already there.

For over a year has this frightful and inhuman decimation been in progress. More than half a million human beings from whose bodies life has been racked by famine or fever is Spain's token of the beneficence of her rule in Cuba.

The present ministry of Spain is doing no better in Cuba than the ministry it succeeded. Its scheme of autonomous government for the island is a fraud, a lie, a crime. No promised reforms have fruited and none were intended. The pledge was the pledge of the Spaniard, therefore treacherous, and Spanish treachery is another term for death.

Want and pestilence will stalk, rapine hold forth and butchery reign to the last dismal hour that Spain can keep her grasp upon the island. Cuba's days will dawn dark with clouds that drip blood so long as Spain can raise a doubloon by the pawn of a royal perquisite or conscript human fiends to recruit her soldiery.

The conflict Spain is waging in Cuba long since ceased to be a war of suppression against an armed revolt. It has become an indiscriminate and diabolical slaughter of the unarmed and defenseless—the extirpation of a people.

It should be stopped and stopped now.

Every day the government of the United States withholds its hand from intervention it becomes more closely an accessory to this capital crime against civilized humanity.

Upon this republic rests the natural duty of driving the Spaniard from Cuban soil. Such duty cannot be escaped, and those responsible cannot avert the consequences of delay.

The bartenders formed a permanent organization at a meeting held yesterday afternoon. Another meeting will be held Tuesday evening, by which time the charter will be here and the officers will be installed. The meeting will be held corner of Calhoun and Superior streets.

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"When a Nation's Life's at Hazzard

We've no time to think of men," wrote the colonial poet. But we're thinking of men, and men only, now and all the time. Our marvelously successful Clearance Sale proves it. It's going on now. Don't miss it if you know a superb bargain when you see it.

Men's All-Wool $10 and $12 Suits for $7.98.

Men's High-Grade All-Wool Suits, that sold regularly for $10 and $12, are this week offered for $7.98—handsome cheviots and cassimeres, double warp serge lining, best tailoring throughout, greatest offer in Fort Wayne today or any other day—and for the next ten days only they go for...... **$7.98**

Great bargains in Men's Finest Suits, (black clay worsteds excepted), that sold all season for $14, $15 and $18—take them for the next 10 days—finest foreign and domestic fabrics, strictly all wool, in plaids, checks, stripes and fancy mixtures, cut in fashion—a splendid opportunity to get a $14, 15 and $18 suit for........ **$11.98**

Grand clearing away of Men's Fine Winter Overcoats, strictly all kerseys, blue and black, silk velvet collars, silk sleeve linings, raw edges—we are preparing for the spring trade and now offer our handsome $15 Overcoats for just about half their previous price—only ... **$9.00**

Men's Advance Spring Overcoats, new styles, new shades, new stock, everything new, elegant box cut in all wool covert cloth and whipcords, you need but to examine our mammoth stock to make your spring purchase—they are excellent values and excellent bargains at $7.50, $10.00, $12.00 and **$15.00**

MEN'S TROUSERS.

Men's black cheviot Trousers, all-wool broken plaids, hair-lines and neat stripes, regular $2.50 value, now offered at Lehman's for **$1.50**

Men's cheviot and cassimere Trousers, pure all wool, neat, desirable patterns, all sizes, most excellent $3.00 values, at Lehman's for **$1.98**

Men's worsted and cassimere Trousers, all wool plaids, checks and stripes, neat and nobby patterns, regular prices $5 and $6—tomorrow and the next ten days for **$4.00**

Most extensive line of BOYS' CONFIRMATION SUITS in the city. Workmanship, quality and value unsurpassed. Our representatives will not call at your home—but guarantee you a saving of 15 to 20 per cent, by calling at our store.

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IN MEMORY OF 1798.

Centenary of Irish Rebellion Celebrated in Dublin.

Great Crowds in the City and Fully 20,000 Persons Take Part in the Phoenix Park Exercises.

DUBLIN, March 14.—Fully 20,000 persons assembled in Phoenix park Sunday to take part in the first celebration of the centenary of the Irish rebellion of 1798. Many special trains were run from distant parts of the country and brought large numbers of persons in the city. Organized societies marched to the park headed by bands of music, there being twenty bands thus employed. American, French and Irish flags were displayed in abundance. Four platforms had been erected in the park, one for each of the Irish provinces—Ulster, Munster, Leinster and Connaught—and around these the crowds gathered to listen to speeches.

Among the speakers was John O'Leary, who declared that every enemy of England was a friend of Ireland. Other speakers spoke in a similar vein. The proceedings were marked by no disorder, and the services of the police who were present were not required. This was the first of a series of demonstrations which will include visits to the battle fields of the rebellion, after the arrival of the American and colonial pilgrims, who are expected to take part in the celebration.

DENIES CONFESSION.

Alleged Murderer Repudiates Document His Lawyer is Trying to Sell.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 14.—The Examiner says that a remarkable incident has developed in the case of Albert Hoff, the aged Russian who is now on trial for the murder of Miss Mary Clute. Two attorneys of this city, Benj. W. McIntosh and Edgar B. Haymond, are trying to sell an alleged confession of the man who is on trial for his life. The lawyers insist that they are acting as agents for Hoff.

They declare that the prisoner will take nothing less than $2,000 for his self accusation. The confession, it is represented, was made to McIntosh, who is defending Hoff in court. It is characterized as an unqualified oleographic confession of not more than three hundred words of the murder of Mrs. Clute. Albert Hoff denies with all the vehemence he can command that he has ever made a confession or ever intends to do so.

HALF AND HALF.

Not All of Hawaii's "Best Citizens" Want Annexation.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 14.—Benjamin Cluff, jr., president of the Brigham Young academy at Provo, Utah, returned from a visit to the Hawaiian Islands where he went at the solicitation of United States Senator Frank J. Cannon to determine the status of the annexation sentiment among the Hawaiian Islands. He speaks the language fluently and has made a thorough canvass among the natives of the islands of Oahu, Maui and Hilo. He said:

"As a result of my investigation, I would say that probably one-half of the intelligent natives of the islands are pronounced advocates of annexation; of the remaining one-half, I would say the great majority are, primarily, in favor of the restoration of the monarchy, and secondly, they much prefer annexation to the United States to a continuation of the present government."

CHARGES CONSPIRACY.

Murderer Under Penitentiary Sentence Released on Parole.

LEBANON, Ind., March 14.—Benjamine Farley, convicted of murder and sentenced to twenty-one years in the penitentiary, has been released on parole. Farley killed Alexander Stewart during a quarrel six years ago.

On his trial the defendant claimed he was the victim of a conspiracy promoted by Stewart's wife and one John Smith. The purpose of this was to involve Farley and Stewart in trouble, with a view to Stewart being killed, so that Smith and Mrs. Stewart could marry.

This contention had many supporters and was given color by the marriage of the couple, which occurred a few days after the murder. Farley's conviction was unexpected and many prominent citizens have interested themselves in his behalf. He is over 70 years of age.

ZOARITES BREAK UP.

Separatists Abandon Their Society and Divide Property.

TOLEDO, March 14.—Today the separatists of Zoar abandon their communistic ideas, and the ninety-two surviving members of the colony will come into possession in severalty of the 7,000 acres of improved farm lands held by the society.

This marks the end of the society founded by Jacob Bimeler and imported to this country in 1815. At that time it numbered 500 souls, who for years afterward lived as retired as possible from the world, with only the day's labor as the measure of their wealth.

Lately the younger generation has grown restless, and after long wrangling the division of property has been agreed upon. Zoar is southeast of this city, on the Wheeling and Lake Erie railway.

FLOODS IN ONTARIO.

Great Damage Done by Overflow of Grand and Thames Rivers.

TORONTO, Ont., March 14.—Dispatches from Western Ontario tell of the overflow of the Grand and Thames rivers, causing serious damage along their valleys. Sections of London, Brantford and Galt are completely submerged to a depth of from five to seven feet. In London 1,500 people are homeless, having been driven from their homes. Bridges and buildings were swept away by the rushing torrents. In Brantford firemen and citizens fought the raging waters all of yesterday, but were finally beaten out; and West Brantford is a regular lake. At Galt a heavy loss was sustained by the business people. The ice jam in the Grand River gave way, and the flood following it tore away bridges, trees and wrecked a number of factories and private residences.

BASE BALL.

The Schedule Meeting at Springfield Today.

Work Will be Commenced on the New Grounds as Soon as the Weather Permits—Beck Released.

The schedule committee of the Inter-State league is in session at Springfield, Ohio, today. The season will commence about the 25th of April.

THE NEW GROUNDS.

The Athletic club had intended commencing work on the new park today, but the wet weather would not permit. As soon as the ground dries out somewhat the work of leveling the diamond and bicycle track will immediately commence, probably tomorrow.

BECK RELEASED.

A telegram today announces that Manager Tebeau has released Beck, the former Toledo second baseman. His physical condition is such that Pat did not believe he would get in league form. Beck has been given permission to train with the Clevelands until April 1.

NOTES.

"Roaring Bill" Hassamaer has been offered the management of the North Baltimore team of the Wood county, Ohio, league for the coming season and overtures from Mansfield have been made to him to play third base.

The Toledo base ball team will make its first appearance this season in a new uniform of a very pretty design. The suits will be navy blue with white trimmings and stockings and belts of maroon. In addition the players will wear on the bench double breasted maroon jackets.

All positions on the Toledo team have been filled except one. Manager Strobel has no second baseman. The position will be left vacant until after the 15th of next month in the hopes that Beck may come back. Cargo, who played Inter-State ball last season is available, and Frank Foreman, of Baltimore, has written to Manager Strobel recommending a fast youngster. Then there is "Roaring Bill" Hassamaer.

George Kelb, the new south paw, of the Cleveland team, who was formerly with Toledo, has been in some of the exhibition games down at Hot Springs and reports of his work are decidedly encouraging. Kelb may be called on to help out Young and Powell in the games played in April and May, as Captain Tebeau is anxious to hold back Cuppy until all doubts about the soundness of his arm have been removed.

The opening game of the season in Mansfield will be April 15 with the Milwaukee team of the Western league. The members of the Mansfield team will report for practice April 10. All the men have been signed except three. President Power presented the matter of these three men to the national board at the St. Louis meeting and all were awarded to the Mansfield club. They will either have to play with the Mansfield club or not play at all.

Grand Rapids Herald: "Manager Torreyson, of Grand Rapids, agrees to guarantee $50 a game, which is $10 more than any other team in the Inter-State league, the others making the minimum. Manager Strobel, of Toledo, says the Michigan city should not be expected to pay more than any other town, and is not in favor of the advance made, especially from Grand Rapids. Mr. Strobel says he is very well satisfied to have the change made, as he considers Grand Rapids a better ball town than Wheeling, and says the change will make faster ball teams."

William A. Brady has become an Eastern League magnate, and Jim Corbett will forsake the stage for the diamond this summer. Brady and Charles White, formerly president of the Eastern League, have purchased the Scranton franchise and transferred it to Rochester. Corbett's manager has announced that Corbett will be Rochester's regular first baseman. Last summer the pugilist traveled around the country and played with various teams as a drawing card for holiday occasions. His work was fair and he is well up to the minor league standard for an infielder.

Ladies Indoor Cycle Race

The ladies 6-day-12-hour bicycle races which are scheduled to be run off at the Princess rink, commencing Monday, March 21, continuing for one week, have already jumped into popular favor, and if the interest now manifested in this forthcoming exhibition is any criterion, it will be the biggest success of its kind ever witnessed in this city. Negotiations are now pending between Miss Tillie Anderson, Helen Baldwin, Dottie Farnsworth, May Allen, Daisy Mullen, Mabel Raymond, Lulu Young and other noted bicycle celebrities to ride in the races here next week. It is expected by the promoters that this race will be the greatest of its kind that has been promoted yet this year. The track will be built this week and the riders will be in active training Friday and Saturday, and on Saturday afternoon the public is invited to witness them, and also the track, which in itself is a curiosity. The prizes aggregate $400 divided into six purses and 240 miles must be ridden to receive any portion of the prizes. Trick riding is a prominent feature; also continuous band concerts. The management particularly desire to impress upon the public of Fort Wayne, in language most forcible, that there is not an objectionable feature that would offend the most fastidious, and that is their reason for throwing open the doors on Saturday afternoon for the public to witness the riders and judge of their respective merits free of charge. The race proper starts at 8:15 Monday evening, March 21st.

BEWARE OF MORPHINE.

Mrs. Pinkham Asks Women to Seek Permanent Cures and Not Mere Temporary Relief From Pain.

Special forms of suffering lead many a woman to acquire the morphine habit. One of these forms of suffering is a dull, persistent pain in the side, accompanied by heat and throbbing. There is disinclination to work, because work only increases the pain.

This is only one symptom of a chain of troubles; she has others she cannot bear to confide to her physician, for fear of an examination, the terror of all sensitive, modest women.

The physician, meantime, knows her condition, but cannot combat her shrinking terror. He yields to her supplication for something to relieve the pain. He gives her a few morphine tablets, with very grave caution as to their use. Foolish woman! She thinks morphine will help her right along; she becomes its slave!

A wise and a generous physician had such a case; he told his patient he could do nothing further, as she was too nervous to undergo an examination. In despair, she went to visit a friend. She said to her, "Don't give yourself up; just go to the nearest druggist's and buy a bottle of Mrs. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It will build you up. You will begin to feel better with the first bottle." She did so, and after the fifth bottle her health was re-established. Here is her own letter about it:

"I was very miserable; was so weak that I could hardly get around the house, could not do any work without feeling tired out. My monthly periods had stopped and I was so tired and nervous all of the time. I was troubled very much with falling of the womb and bearing-down pains. A friend advised me to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound; I have taken five bottles, and think it is the best medicine I ever used. Now I can work, and feel like myself. I used to be troubled greatly with my head, but I have had no bad headaches or palpitation of the heart, womb trouble or bearing-down pains, since I commenced to take Mrs. Pinkham's medicine. I gladly recommend the Vegetable Compound to every suffering woman. The use of one bottle will prove what it can do."—MRS. LUCY PEASLEY, Derby Center, Vt.

HE IS WEALTHY.

But Delights in Beating His Way on Trains.

Superintendent Gorsline Finds That M. L. Boughman is Quite Rich—Fined $3 and Costs—Police News.

THE SENTINEL Saturday mentioned the fact that one Buchman was being held by Superintendent Gorsline as a suspect. His correct name is M. L. Boughman and the superintendent wrote to his home, Orrville, Ohio, and replies received state that Boughman is the owner of several farms, on one of which is a big coal bank. He is a veterinary surgeon and his income each day amounts to considerable. He has a hobby of riding on freight trains and is strictly opposed to paying railroad fare. Detective Nicely picked the man up on the Pennsylvania right-of-way last Friday and on his person was found almost $100 in money and a draft for $50. The fellow told conflicting stories and the officers naturally were suspicious of him. When Mayor Scherer heard the story this morning he assessed a fine of $3 and costs, which Boughman paid and left the court room.

Arthur Gaylord, a drunk arrested by Officer Collins, was given a lecture by his honor, and was allowed his liberty on a promise of better behavior. He is a young fellow.

William Frank, arrested by Officer Greer for drunkenness, was sent to jail for eleven days.

Dennis J. Daughty and Frank Brown, vagrants arrested by Officer Madden, were sent over for fifteen days each.

Paul Dunker, arrested by Detective Dinger for trespass, was given eleven days.

Emma Sowers accumulated a few pints too much Saturday night, and occupied so much of Columbia street in her meanderings that Sergeant Harkenrider escorted her to the police station to sleep off the "jag." She was followed by several men, one of whom, William Beyers, was arrested. Mayor Scherer sent the Sowers woman over to jail for fifteen days, and released Beyers after he explained that he did not even know the woman.

POLICE NOTES.

Patrol Driver Henry Reichart went on the day trick today noon and Joe Doyle resumes his old place as night man.

Illinois relatives are making inquiries for one William McPherson, who is supposed to be in or about Fort Wayne. They have some valuable information for him.

NORTHERN INDIANA NOTES.

A party of five left South Bend Saturday for Klondike.

The building in which the Bristol Banner was published was destroyed and the newspaper plant was badly damaged.

A mail car on the Lake Shore road caught fire in the depot yards at Laporte and several tons of second class matter were destroyed.

The Fulton county commissioners have notified the authorities of the town of Rochester that hereafter tramps cannot be lodged in the county jail

Joseph Brower, a well known elder of the Dunkard church in Miami county, committed suicide by hanging himself. Financial difficulty was the motive.

The Citizens' State bank of Rochester has changed hands, passing into control of C. C. Byer, of Kendallville, J. F. Byer, of Warsaw, and W. A. Banta, of Goshen.

The trial of Former Treasurer Holdeman of Elkhart county on charge of embezzling county funds is in progress at Goshen. Hon. Thomas R. Marshall, of Columbia City, is assisting in the defense.

At South Bend it has been noticed for several mornings that strangers were scattering wheat along the streets. The grain is eagerly eaten by English sparrows, which soon die by scores, the wheat being poisoned The dead birds are then gathered by the men. The incident has given rise to the belief that the birds are taken to some town where a bounty is offered for dead sparrows and are turned in as having been killed where the bounty is offered.

The board of commissioners of Whitley county have instructed the county attorney to bring suit against several former county officials and present incumbents to recover back pay alleged to have been received through illegal allowances.

Members of the Amish church in Clinton township combined to oppose the Indiana truancy law. Moses Esch was arrested for failure to comply with the law and was fined $10 and costs, $25 in all. It was paid by members of the society. It is understood that on the advice of lawyers they will offer no further opposition to the law.

PREPARING TO VOTE.

Important Meeting of Democratic City Committee.

Will Select Primary Election Officers Tonight—Candidates Will All Be Present.

The political pot is beginning to boil, and from today until the first Tuesday in May every voter in Fort Wayne will be talking of the contest for city offices.

Allen Hamilton, chairman of the democratic city committee, has called a meeting of the committee to decide on election officers and voting places for the democratic primary election, which will be held April 14. The meeting will be held this evening in the city hall and all democratic candidates have been invited to attend and assist in the selections. There are so many candidates, including delegates and committeemen, that the work at the primary will be much harder than heretofore and for this reason the committee is determined that arrangements shall be satisfactory to everybody concerned.

REPUBLICANS.

The republicans are not allowing the grass to grow under their feet either. Colonel Oakley is making a strong canvass and sees scores of people every day. His supporters are confident, but the Geake men only smile and say their man will certainly win. A meeting of the Geake supporters of the Second ward was held last Friday evening and the men for Geake delegates were chosen. There will be caucuses on each side from now until the primaries are held, March 31, and the fight promises to be a most bitter one. W. T. Jefferies has a walk-away for clerk.

LOCAL LINES.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Neikirk, of 115 Columbia avenue—a girl.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stone, of Liberty street—a son. Mr. Stone is the well known traveling man.

Mrs. Carrie M. Sawyer, of Boston, Mass., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Vordermark, of 301 East Washington street.

Rev. A. Lang has been granted a permit to build a parsonage on a lot in Fletcher's addition. The new dwelling is estimated to cost $3,000.

H. R. Charle, the school teacher for the Trinity Lutheran school in Bloomingdale, arrived in the city last week and yesterday was installed in his new position. He is from Hannibal, Mo.

The Hibernians have selected the Randall hotel as headquarters during the state meeting to be held in this city April 18, 19 and 20. Several hundred visitors are expected in the city during the convention.

R. C. Miller, of Wabash, passed through the city last night en route to Ohio to attend the funeral of his mother-in-law. Mr. Miller stopped off here several hours to see his daughter, Mrs. L. O. Dailey, of West Williams street.

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The fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

HEAD SWELLED.

McCoy Toyed With Hardenbrook and Now He Begins to Crow.

He Would Have Met the Fate of Mr. Bates Had Not "Kid" McCoy Promised Not to Hurt Him.

The following telegram from Walkerton, Ind., was printed in the metropolitan papers Sunday morning:

"Vern Hardenbrook, of Walkerton, heavyweight champion of Indiana, met Kid McCoy last night in a four round go at Fort Wayne and stayed with him to the limit. Hardenbrook forced McCoy to the ropes three times, and scored one knock down. The rounds were hard fought, and McCoy, although fighting his hardest, failed to stop Hardenbrook in the four rounds. Hardenbrook was not in good condition, having had but little training, which makes his showing with McCoy all the more remarkable. It is believed in Indiana sporting circles that Hardenbrook is one of the coming men in the ring."

This article is indeed laughable to the persons who knew anything of the conditions of the meeting. Hardenbrook would not go on unless McCoy would promise not to hurt him. To this the champion agreed, even making a promise after the two had entered the ring. Hardenbrook also made him take off the light gloves and put on the eight-ounce mits. Before the men had been in the ring thirty seconds McCoy struck Hardenbrook two blows which had he put force behind them would have knocked the Walkerton comer (?) senseless. Referee Brown says that Hardenbrook several times asked McCoy not to hit him so hard and McCoy laughingly replied, "I am only striking you easy blows," or words to that effect.

Hardenbrook did not knock McCoy down, but the latter slipped and fell and only smiled when he got up. In the last round Hardenbrook was on a continual sprint to keep from being hit and once or twice looked appealingly to the timekeeper as if he would appreciate the ringing of the bell. And although the "kid" had only played with him, Hardenbrook needed the attention of his seconds before he was able to get out of the ring. Persons who know the conditions of the match are certain Hardenbrook could have been whipped in less than thirty seconds.

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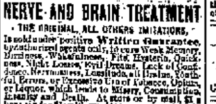

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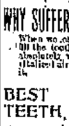

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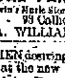
BEST TEETH,  $8.00 Per Set.

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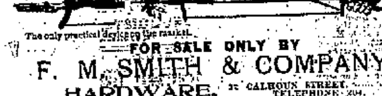

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IMPROVEMENTS.

Wonderful Growth of Electrical Apparatus.

Bicycles Also Show a Greatly Increased Sales—The Eel River Line To be Sold to the Lake Shore.

The commissioner of patents has issued his annual report, which shows that the number of applications received for examination during the year was greater than for any other in the history of the office, yet the report says there was no increase in the facilities or force for doing the work. Applications awaiting action December 28, last, numbered 11,382 due to the inadequacy of the office force. For the ten years beginning in 1840 the average number of applicants was 1,186, and for the eight years beginning with 1890 it has grown to 41,479 per year.

The influence of patented inventions is most strikingly shown in the creation of new industries of enormous magnitude since 1880—that is, within the term of patents now in force or but very recently expired. Of these new industries the most notal are those directly connected with the development of electrical inventions. The manufacture of electrical apparatus and supplies began to be of importance shortly before 1880, and in that year seventy-six establishments, employing 1,271 persons and producing an output valued at $2,655,036, were in existence. In 1890 the number of establishments had increased to 189, employing 9,946 persons and producing an output valued at $19,114,714. In the electric light and power industry, as reported in 1880, there were but three establishments in the United States, employing 220 persons and producing an output valued at $158,400. At the close of 1891 there were in the United States 2,121 central stations supplying electricity for light and power and 7,475 isolated plants, a total of 9,596 establishments. The capital invested in these central stations is stated to have been $258,956,256, and the capital invested in the isolated plants, though not stated, was probably not below $200,000,000. A conservative estimate of the number of persons employed at that time in this industry would not be under 45,000. The use of electricity for power purposes has found its most notable development in the electric railway. The first electric street railway in the United States was put in operation little more than ten years ago. In 1880, of the 2,500 road miles of street railway in the United States, nearly all used animal power. The total mileage of electric railways in the United States up to October of 1897 was 12,755 miles and, out of a total mileage of 15,718, but 817 miles were horse car lines. The total capital invested was $940,131,691.

The telephone in 1880 was just beginning to be commercially known. At the close of 1890 there were in the United States 967 telephone exchanges and 832 branch offices, using 536,845 miles of wire and employing 11,425 persons. The total amount stated to be invested in telephone in property in 1895 was $77,500,000.

The great development of the bicycle industry has come since 1890, as a result of the inventions in pneumatic tires made about that time. In 1890 there were reported as engaged in the manufacture of bicycles twenty-seven establishments. In 1895 more than 200 establishments were engaged in the manufacture of cycles and the output of wheels for that year is stated to have not been less than 800,000. The product in 1897 was over 1,000,000 wheels. In 1880 a large proportion of the cycles used were imported, mainly from England. In 1897 the exports of cycles and parts of cycles to England amounted to a value of $2,178,491, and the total exports amounted to a value of $6,902,736.

THE EEL RIVER LINE.

The following telegram appeared in the Chicago papers this morning:

"BUTLER, Ind., March 13.—It is given out here that the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern will acquire the Eel River line, running from Butler to Logansport; now leased by the Wabash, when it is sold as now ordered, but pending action in the supreme court. This would give the Lake Shore its St. Louis and New York line, via the Vandalia, from Logansport. The Wabash people must be contemplating this move, as surveyors are laying out a line from here to New Haven to connect their Toledo line with the Detroit line through here."

That part of the above item which refers to the proposed new Wabash line from New Haven to Butler is probably incorrect, as nothing could be learned here nor in New Haven of such a project being carried out. If surveyors are at work upon a line they are doing it secretly. However, it is the belief of the writer that such a railroad would be a profitable investment for the Wabash and be a great benefit to Fort Wayne.

PERSONAL AND OTHERWISE.

After a week's sickness, H. D. Phillips has resumed work in the Pittsburg lumber yards.

Daniel T. McFee, Nickel Plate engineer, has recovered from his recent illness and is at work again.

Engineers Frank Tetley and George Cooper and Firemen Charles Davidson, of the Nickel Plate, are taking a few days' rest.

J. R. Helsworth, of the Pittsburg planing mills, today moved into a comfortable house on Eliza street.

Martin Wambach is again at his post of duty in the Pittsburg machine shop, after an illness of several days.

Louis Alltovogt resumed work in the Bass machine shop this morning, after an absence on account of the death of his baby.

D. A. Condon is a new name on the Nickel Plate pay roll, that gentleman having taken a position as brakeman with the company.

Conductor J. M. Wells resumed his run on the Nickel Plate yesterday, after being detained at home a few days by the illness of his wife.

J. G. Nichter, the machinist, whose misfortune was noted in this column Saturday, went to the company's hospital at Peru this morning.

Homeseekers' excursions will be run on all western lines on March 15 and April 5 and 19. The rate will be as usual, one fare plus $2 for the round trip

John Catlez, the coppersmith, has recovered from an illness which kept him from his work several days. He is employed in the Pittsburg shops.

In one of the big class L locomotives now being built by the Pennsylvania railroad there are 70,000 pieces, including rivets, screws, bolts, nuts, etc.

Pittsburg engine 181, which was taking train 80 east last night, blew out one of her cylinder heads at Ada, Ohio, and had to be relieved by another engine.

One passenger and two freight trains on the Baltimore and Ohio had to detour via. the Wabash at Defiance yesterday on account of a freight wreck near that city.

Erie trainmen are making the largest earnings in the history of the road. During February the engineers averaged $180 to $200 and March promises to do even better.

The hay blockade in the east has been broken and the Pennsylvania and other roads which had stopped shipment for awhile announce that they are again ready to resume that traffic.

Leonard Wood, who visited several days with relatives in this city, has recovered from an attack of quinsy and returned to Huntington, where he is employed in the Erie railroad shops.

Michael Hughes, the machinist, who had three fingers of his left hand taken off last December, has recovered from the injury and this morning resumed his place in the Pittsburg shops.

This morning engines 92, 55, 345, 116 and 410, from the eastern division, and engine 51, from the Chicago yards of the Pennsylvania, came into the Fort Wayne shops for general repairs.

Fred Wolf, the Nickel Plate brakeman, is working again after an absence of several days on account of the sickness of his baby. David Potts, also a brakeman, reported after a few days rest.

Mrs. A. H. Staley, wife of the Nickel Plate brakeman, has improved in health and her husband, who, on account of her sickness, had been laying off for several days, took his run out yesterday.

Casper Lehnkuler, Joseph Junk and Chris Schneider, who had been on the absentee list, reported for duty at the Pittsburg blacksmith shop this morning. Messrs. Lehnkuler and Junk had been sick.

Emil Deister is again an employe of the Bass company, he having taken a position in the machine shop this morning. He learned the trade in that establishment, but for the past year has been employed in the Kerr Murray works.

Henry Keil, timekeeper at the electric works, is taking a two weeks' vacation on account of poor health. His duties at the shop are being performed by Bert Keplinger, while William Melching, a son of the sheriff, is filling the place temporarily vacated by Bert.

The Big Four has asked for bids upon a fine depot which the company proposes to erect in Terre Haute. The building will be 135x82 feet and will be constructed of red pressed brick with terra cotta trimmings. In addition to offices, it will contain large waiting rooms, baggage and express rooms.

Traffic was so heavy on the Nickel Plate Saturday and Sunday that the local engines and crews were compelled to go out with trains of through freight after they brought their local trains in Saturday evening. The men are thus enabled to add considerable to their earnings during the month of March.

J. D. White, the blacksmith, who had been attending the funeral of his wife's sister, Mrs. Belle Francis, at Wabash, has returned to his duties in the Pittsburg shops. The deceased resided in Muncie. On March 1 she was called to Wabash to attend the funeral of her sister, Mrs. Pyle, and a week later she was stricken down.

The trainmen on the Michigan division of the Big Four road complain of the length of their runs and have asked the company to shorten the divisions. They now run from Wabash to Louisville, 192 miles. The men suggest making the runs from Benton Harbor to Anderson, 165 miles, and from Anderson to Louisville, 140 miles; but the company is said to look upon a change of this kind with disfavor

William O'Connell, formerly fireman on the Grand Rapids and Indiana railroad, have returned from the east, where he has been in the bicycle business for the last four years. Mr. O'Connell will open a bicycle store in the city in a few days

Harry Cragg, a machinist employed at the electric works for the past year or two, put in an application some months ago for a position in a government arsenal. He passed the required examination, but there was no opening at that time and he was told to wait awhile. Saturday he was summoned to Washington and it is presumed that it is for the purpose of entering the service

On account of a bridge being taken down to allow a dredging machine to pass up the Kankakee marsh, west of Hamlet, yesterday, Pennsylvania trains 8, 2, 9 and 7 had to make a detour by way of the Nickel Plate and the Indiana, Illinois and Iowa roads and were delayed from one to two hours. The bridge was taken down at 7:30 and was not again in position until after 10 o'clock last night

For the fourth week of February the Financial Chronicle reports the gross earnings of seventy-seven American railroads as $7,999,578, an increase, as compared with the corresponding period of last year of $1,201,232, or 17.72 per cent. For the first week of March thirty-four roads report $3,691,827, an increase of $600,028, or 18.25 per cent. For the first week of March the Monon reports gross earning of $58,378, an increase of $11,560.

In the way of eastbound shipments out of Chicago, last week was a record breaker. The aggregate was 158,232 tons, as against 153,827 for the preceding week and 77,193 tons for the corresponding period of a year ago. In this business the Lake Shore leads, its per centage being 16.0. Next in volume of business came the Nickel Plate, with a per centage of 11.1. The balance of the business was about equally divided between the other eight trunk lines.

Miss Edna Thompson entertained friends Saturday afternoon.

OPPOSE THE FIGHTS.

The Ministerial Association Takes Action.

A Statement From Them Opposing the Sparring Events and Calling on the Authorities to Stop Them.

The Ministerial association held a meeting in the Plymouth Congregational church this morning and prepared the following statement, which was handed THE SENTINEL for publication:

"While not wishing to be understood as condemning proper and healthful athletics, we, the Ministerial association do desire to express our thorough and unqualified disapproval of such exhibitions of fistic combat as were presented under the auspices of the Fort Wayne Athletic association last Friday evening at the rink.

"We believe them to be debasing in their general effect, demoralizing to the youth of our city and altogether unnecessary to the proper training of the physical man

"We respectfully call the attention of the authorities to the fact that there are state laws regulating such exhibitions, and from the very full reports in our city papers we are persuaded that recent exhibitions have approached very nearly, if not exceeded, the limits established by law.

"We regret the very undesirable reputation these exhibitions have established for our city as a result of the large newspaper advertisement they have received."

THE MARKETS.

CHICAGO, March 14.—Wheat—March, $1.01½; May, $1.01; July, 86⅝; Sept., 76¾; Dec., 78½.
Corn—March, 29¾; May, 30¼; July, 31⅞; Sept., 32¾.
Oats—March, 25⅞ to 26; May, 26⅞ to ½; July, 21⅞ to ¼.
Pork—March, $9.80; May, $9.82½; July, $9.90.
Lard—March, $5.00; May, $5.05 to 5.07½; July, $5.12½ to 5.15.
Ribs—March, $4.97½; May, $4.97½ to 5.00; July, $5.05.

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Stylish, snappy, strap seams, French faced, satin piped, Skinner satin sleeve linings in all our Spring Overcoats. Some lined throughout with skinner's pure dye silk serge.
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LOCAL NEWS.

H. B. Guthrie, of Anderson, was registered at the New Aveline Sunday.

Mrs. F. J. Hayden has been made a member of the board of directors of the Y. W. C. A.

Miss Jessie Sweet, of Indianapolis, will be the guest of Mrs. Artemus Pickard this week.

Mrs. Theodore Ruthland and daughter, Tyra, will leave Friday for their home in Chicago

Mrs. Dr. Halloway, of Decatur, spent Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. W. E. Winch, in this city

The J. P. W. club will be entertained Tuesday evening by Mr. and Mrs. Pierce, at their home on East Lewis street

Misses Cora and Lida Butler and Miss Kate Furthmiller, of New Haven, spent Sunday in the city the guest of friends.

Tom W. Houlihan, of Chicago, spent Sunday in the city, the guest of relatives and friends. He returned home this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. John S. Hoose entertained at cards Saturday night at their home, 417 Broadway. The prizes were won by Mrs. W. E. Dodd and Mr. Darfee.

C. O. Lepper, the well known druggist of West Jefferson street, is being urged to stand for one of the democratic councilmanic nominations in the Third ward.

Ben Hur Court, No. 15, Tribe of Ben Hur, will meet this evening as usual in their hall on Court street. Brother Strub, one of the supreme officers, will visit the court.

Selden Morey has accepted a position as press operator at the Postal telegraph office. The Associated Press report for the Fort Wayne morning papers will hereafter come through the Postal company.

The church history class of the West Creighton avenue Church of Christ will meet tonight at the library room. Every member is requested to be present, and others who desire to take up the work.

Elkhart Review: "G. D. Budd, of St. Louis, the paving contractor, H. C. Hanna, of Fort Wayne, are in the city. Mr. Budd has also retained VanFleet & VanFleet, as he is involved in the injunction suit against the city."

The social given by the Misses Van Tilburg, Stover, Griesmer and Laylander at the home of the latter was a great success, the prizes were won by William Carter, first prize, and Dayton Archibald, booby. The literary program was very interesting, especially the solos by Misses Eva Moore and Helen Laylander.

A powerful meeting was held last night at the West Creighton avenue Church of Christ. John J. Higgs, preached an interesting discourse upon the "Second Adam." M. K. Griffith sang "Only a Step to the Grave" with good effect. Six persons came forward to the altar of confession. They will be baptized next Wednesday evening.

Phil Rauh, one of the proprietors of the Aveline house barber shop, cut himself Saturday afternoon in a severe manner while stropping a razor. He was in the act of getting the keen blade into shape to shave a man and in some manner the razor slipped and Mr. Rauh was cut in the thumb and third finger of his right hand. It was necessary to take five stitches in the wound.

The Damrosch Opera company passed through the city, over the Nickel Plate, at 12 o'clock last night. This company has been engaged to give a series of operas during the opera season, which opens at the Auditorium tonight and continues two weeks. Some of the greatest talent of the day, including Mme. Melba and Mme. Nordica, is with the company on this occasion. The party travels by special trains, it requiring fourteen cars to accommodate them and their baggage.

The concert given at the New Aveline house yesterday afternoon by the automatic banjo was listened to by an audience which completely crowded the lobby of the hotel. Piece after piece was encored and the Hoosiers were especially thrilled by the rendition of the latest popular song, "Down on the Banks of the Wabash." Dr. Kalbfleisch, president of the company, and Mrs. Kalbfleisch, of Peru, and Dr. Casebeer, of Auburn, vice-president of the company, were present. W. J. Holt, agent of the new banjo, will leave this morning on a trip to Indiana towns, in which he hopes to place a number of the instruments.

There will be two games of foot ball at the Lakeside park next Thursday afternoon if the weather will permit sport of that character. The first game will be between the Emmett and the Shamrock clubs, which will be called at 2 o'clock. Immediately following this will be a game between the students of the Brothers' school and those of St. Patrick's school, the participants not to be under twelve years nor over fifteen years of age. Masters Cran, Shea, Murphy and Rohan will select the team for the St. Patrick students and a similar office for the Brothers' school will be performed by Masters Owens, Singleton and Baade.

James Gillie has leased the Black Hawk farm, belonging to Mr. John H. Bass, for a term of years, and will begin the dairy business on an extensive scale. The farm contains 432 acres, and is located near the Hoagland church, three miles east of the Feeble-Minded asylum. Mr. Gillie also purchased forty head of Galloway cattle from Mr. Bass, the product of famous Brookside. He will also build and equip a creamery, and intends to make a specialty of dairy products of all kinds. Mr. Gillie is a practical, scientific farmer, thoroughly understands the dairy business, and his many friends extend hearty wishes for his success. The Black Hawk farm is one of the largest and best in the county.

NEW DOCTORS.

A Big Class Will Get Diplomas From the Fort Wayne College Tonight.

The graduating exercises of the class of '98 of the Fort Wayne College of Medicine, will be held at Library hall this evening. The public is invited. No admission fee will be charged. This will be the nineteenth annual commencement of the college. The program follows:

Overture—Semiramide ... Schubert
Invocation ... Rev. S. Wagenhals
[illegible] ... Leutner
Remarks by the Dean ... Dr. C. B. Stemen
Cardinal March ... Tyson

IN MEMORIAM.

[illegible] ... Dr. G. W. McCaskey
[illegible] ... [illegible]
Address on behalf of trustees ... Hon. J. Frank Hanley
Selection from "Faust" ... Gounod
Conferring of degrees ... Hon. Charles [illegible]
Presentation of diplomas ... Dr. W. W. [illegible]
Awarding of prizes
Gavotte Dolce ... [illegible]
Address on behalf of faculty ... Dr. M. O. [illegible]
Cascade Two Step ... [illegible]

After the exercises at Library hall a banquet will be tendered the class and alumni at the Randall hotel by the faculty. Following are the young men who will receive their diplomas on that evening: J. W. H. Bauch, C. L. Blue, H. J. Dahl, Peter Dahl, G. M. Leslie, F. O. Liesen, J. A. Lomas, F. A. Meltz, C. L. Patterson, B. Rhamy, Adolph Wermuth, Clifford J. Wallace, H. A. Yarian.

Two small children of W. L. Brothers, living near Knox, were probably fatally burned by the explosion of a can of gunpowder which they had placed upon the stove.

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FOR BILIOUS AND NERVOUS DISORDERS
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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for the office of justice of the peace, subject to the decision of the Wayne township democratic nominating convention. HARRY F. FRANCE.

FOR MAYOR.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce that I will be a candidate for mayor, subject to the decision of the democratic city nominating convention, April 5 1898. HENRY P. SCHERER.

I hereby announce that I will be a candidate for the office of Mayor, subject to the decision of the Republican nominating convention. WILLIAM GEAKE.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce that I am a candidate for mayor, subject to the decision of the republican nominating convention. CHAUNCEY B. OAKLEY.

FOR CITY CLERK.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for city clerk, subject to the decision of the democratic city nominating convention. HENRY H. MONSING.

WATERWORKS TRUSTEE.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for water works trustee, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention. P. J. SINGLETON.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for waterworks trustee, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention, Tuesday, April 5, 1898. C. H. WALTEMATH.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for the office of water works trustee, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention. WM. TAGTMEYER.

FOR COUNCILMAN—FIRST WARD.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for councilman from the First ward, subject to decision of the democratic primary. GEORGE B. BENCH.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for councilman from the First ward, subject to the will of the democratic voters as expressed at the nominating primaries. EDWARD J. EHRMAN.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce that I will be a candidate for re-election as councilman of the First ward, subject to the democratic primary election. WILL TIGAR.

FOR COUNCILMAN—SECOND WARD.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce that I will be a candidate for councilman from the second ward, subject to the decision of the democratic city primary. ALLEN HAMILTON.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for councilman from the Second ward, subject to the decision of the democratic primary. W. J. HOSEY.

FOR COUNCILMAN—THIRD WARD.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for councilman from the Third ward, subject to the democratic primary. DAVID S. ECKERT.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a democratic candidate for councilman in the Third ward, subject to the will of the nominating primary of the party. JOHN O'RYAN.

FOR COUNCILMAN—FOURTH WARD.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce that I will be a candidate for councilman, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating primary in the Fourth ward. JOHN J. BAKER.

FOR COUNCILMAN—FIFTH WARD.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce that I will be a candidate for councilman from the Fifth ward, subject to the decision of the republican city primary. J. O. BROWN.

FOR COUNCILMAN—SIXTH WARD.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for councilman from the Sixth ward, subject to the will of the democratic voters as expressed in the nominating primaries. SYLVESTER McMAHON.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for councilman from the Sixth ward, subject to the will of the democratic voters as expressed in the nominating primaries. HENRY SCHWARTZ.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for councilman from the Sixth ward, subject to the decision of the democratic primary. JAMES CURRY.

FOR COUNCILMAN—SEVENTH WARD.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce that I will be a candidate for councilman of the Seventh ward, subject to the decision of the voters at the democratic primary. PETER J. SCHEID.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for councilman from the Seventh ward, subject to the decision of the democratic primary. DANIEL D. GORDON.

FOR COUNCILMAN—EIGHTH WARD.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce that I will be a candidate for councilman from the Eighth ward, subject to the decision of the democratic city primary. E. K. WHEELOCK.

FOR COUNCILMAN—NINTH WARD.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please announce that I will be a candidate for councilman from the Ninth ward, subject to the will of the democratic voters as expressed at the nominating primary. FRANK X. SCHUHLER.

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WANTED—A good cook at 216 West Wayne street. 11t3

WANTED—A cook, references required, at 47 W. Wayne St. [illegible]

WANTED—A competent girl for general housework. Apply at [illegible] West Berry street. 11t3

WANTED—If you want to borrow money see "ad" on first page, first column, Room 2, Arcade, upstairs. 3tf

WANTED—A good girl for general house work. German preferred. 11 Brown street. [illegible]

WANTED—Sign work and painting in exchange for first class dentistry; will pay part cash. Address, E. P. H., care Sentinel. 11t3

WANTED—Horses to board, prices reasonable, satisfaction guaranteed, at No. [illegible] East Wayne street. New phone [illegible] old phone [illegible]. 12t3

WANTED—Energetic woman to travel on salary to get agents for superior line of goods. Corset & Skirt Works, Ann Arbor, Mich. 6t10 maw4t

WANTED—Energetic ladies and gentlemen [illegible], $60 per month guaranteed. Call or address Pauline Frederick, [illegible] East Wayne street city

WANTED—Trustworthy persons to travel; salary $780 and expenses, reference. Inclose self addressed envelope. The Dominion Company, Chicago. 12t3

WANTED—Call at the associated Charities office if you want to hire laboring men or women to do washing or cleaning. Room No. 8 City Hall; telephone, 115. tf

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FOR RENT—Nice furnished front room at 44 West Main street. 11t2

FOR RENT—One nicely furnished room, at 123 West Jefferson street. 8tf

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FOR RENT—Eight room house in good repair at 250 W. Creighton ave; large barn. Inquire 250 W. Creighton. 11t2

FOR RENT—House of six rooms, water and gas, a good barn. 76 Montgomery street. Inquire, 66 W. Creighton ave. 12t1

FOR RENT—Eight room house, centrally located, bath room, furnace, electric light; modern in every respect. Inquire at 19 Harmer St., cor. E. Wayne. 7tf

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished room, with or without board; steady boarders wanted; hot and cold baths furnished with bath. [illegible] E Washington street. 11t2

FOR RENT—Store building, known as Wessel Block, corner Hanna and Wallace streets, after March 15th. For particulars call at Caroline Wessel, [illegible] Hanna street. 10tf

FOR RENT—Eight room house at 325 South Calhoun street; bath room complete; heated by hot water; gas and electric chandeliers in all rooms; cement cellar, with slate laundry tubs; driveway from Calhoun street to barn. Will lease to good party. Inquire at 37 West Berry street, corner Harrison. 2tf

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—If you want money on personal security, see "ad" on first page, first column, Room 2, Arcade, upstairs. 3tf

FOR SALE—Cheap a fine surrey, [illegible] top, cut under late style, good as new. Inquire at 31 and 33 Calhoun street. 10t3

FOR SALE—A 7 room house, good barn and out buildings, 4 acres of land on Ecker street and South Hanna. Inquire at 15 East DeWald street. 11t6

FOR SALE—A No. 1 Smith Premier typewriter, practically new; cheap; never used in office. Address, T. L. Staples, International Business College. 11t3

FOR SALE—Or trade, one 25 acre farm, one 240 acre farm, two 160 acre farms, six 80 acre farms, five 40 acre farms and several small farms suitable for gardening; also houses and lots in all parts of the city for sale. R. C. Niswonger & Co., 38 E. Berry St., Postoffice drug store, Fort Wayne, Ind. 10tf

FOR SALE—Improved dwelling property on West Berry street, West Washington street, East Suttenfield street, West Wayne street, West Jefferson street, West and East Creighton avenue, West DeWald street, South Harrison street, Fairfield avenue, Broadway street, West Third street, Hendricks street. Vacant lots in Fletcher's addition, Lakeside Park addition, Rockhill heirs' addition. Houses to rent and money to loan. Schrader & Wilson, first floor, No. 7 Court street. 2tf

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GRAND RAPIDS & INDIANA R.R. In effect Nov. 28th, 1897.

NORTH BOUND.
*For Grand Rapids and north ... 2 40 am
† ... 8 00 am
† ... 3 55 pm
†From Richmond arrives ... 3 15 pm

SOUTH BOUND.
*For Richmond and Cincinnati ... 12 35 am
† ... 5 55 am
† ... 12 25 pm
*From Grand Rapids arrives ... 7 15 pm
*Daily, †Daily except Sunday.

THE FINDLEY, FT. WAYNE & WESTERN R'Y
Time Card, in Effect Dec. 20 '97.
Lv. Fort Wayne Express 8 00 a.m. 7 55 p.m.
Ar. Findlay ... 10 45 a.m. 10 50 p.m.
Ar. Columbus via. T & O C Ry 2 30 p.m.
Miami train leave Fort Wayne 8 30 a.m.
All trains run daily, except Sunday.

WABASH RAILROAD.
Trains from Fort Wayne as follows. Effective Nov. 14, 1897.

No.	GOING EAST	DEPART
2.	N. Y. & Boston Lim., daily	5 38 a.m.
20.	Toledo Local Express ex. Sunday	8 55 a.m.
6.	N. Y. & N. Eng. Flyer, daily	11 50 a.m.
4.	Fast Mail & Ex., ex. Sunday	6 20 p.m.
10.	Decatur Accom., arrives ex. Sunday	8 45 p.m.
	GOING WEST.	
11.	Decatur Accom., ex. Sunday	7 31 a.m.
5.	Pacific Ex., ex. Sunday	9 33 a.m.
3.	Kan. City Express, daily	12 noon
1.	Government Fast Mail, daily	6 30 p.m.
3.	St. Louis Vestibule Lim., daily	2 05 p.m.

H. H. THOMPSON, Passenger and Ticket Agent, Fort Wayne, Ind.

L. E. & W. TIME TABLE.

SOUTH.
No. 41 leaves (except Sunday) ... 7 10 a.m.
No. 43 daily ... 4 15 p.m.
No. 151 Local Freight ... 5 00 a.m.

NORTH.
No. 40 arrives daily ... 11 40 a.m.
No. 42 (daily except Sunday) ... 10 25 p.m.
No. 150 Local Freight ... 5 40 p.m.

LAKE SHORE & MICHIGAN SOUTHERN RAILWAY—Fort Wayne Branch.

SOUTHWARD.	ARRIVE.
No. 152 Way Freight	5 25 pm
No. 154 Th. Express and Mail	[illegible] am
No. 410 Detroit and Ind'pls Express	3 55 pm
NORTHWARD.	DEPART.
No. 153 Way Freight	6 40 am
No. 157 Through Express & Mail	11 45 am
No. 453 Detroit & Ind'pls Ex.	4 10 pm

NEW SPRING BEAUTIES.

Women can take the pick now of the choicest lines of Wash Fabrics that will be shown this season. Elegant lines of printed novelties are now upon our counters.

Plaid Grenadines,
Check Grenadines,
Organdie Lenos,
Colored Swisses,
French Organdies,
French Dimities,
Figured Lawns,
Black Dotted Swisses.

From 10c a yard up to 40c.

Pretty lines of plain Batistes and Lawns—in all colors—washable—for children's dresses,

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FOR SKIRTS.

Lovely fabrics—Silk and Linen Plaids and Stripes—also Plain Black and Black and White.

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Try our New Plan. Shares $1.00 each per month. Matures in seventy-seven months.

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Bargains in stoves, furniture and everything else, at 175 Calhoun St., GOLDSTINE'S PLACE. We sell everything and buy anything. Telephone or drop me a postal card.

DECORATED TOILET SETS.

DECORATED DINNER SETS.

Don't forget these side lines of ours.

We sell Toilet Sets and Dinner Sets at one-third less than crockery stores. We sell them at the same small profit that we sell Furniture and Carpets. Crockery is commencing to advance. You will probably never again buy so cheaply as now.

A Toilet Set, including slop jar, for $3.75, that crockery stores sell at $5 to $6.

A 100 piece Dinner Set at $5, $6, $7, $8 and $9 that would cost you in crockery stores $7, $8, $10, $12 and $16.

FANCY LAMPS.

Fancy Lamps of all kinds is another of our great specialties; selling more than all other Fort Wayne houses combined.

Foster Furniture Co.

The Evening Sentinel.

MONDAY, MARCH 14, 1898.

OUR TELEPHONES.

Business Office . . . . No. 173.
Editorial Rooms . . . . No. 660.

The Weather.

WASHINGTON, March 14.—For Indiana: Fair and warmer; Tuesday fair, followed by showers and cooler in extreme north portions; increasing southerly winds.

NEWS NOTES.

The Hibernian Rifles will drill tonight.

George Houser spent Sunday in Huntington.

The spring vacation at Westminster begins Friday and lasts for ten days.

Mrs. O. M. Murray, of Butler, is visiting friends in Fort Wayne for a few days.

Sol D. Bayless Lodge, No. 359, F. and A. M., will confer the third degree this evening.

Mrs. O. E. Cole, who visited with Mrs. Barney O'Connor, has returned to her home in Mansfield, Ohio.

Mrs. A. Lentke returned to her home in Milwaukee today, after an extended visit with relatives in this city.

D. Deardorf, of this city, will open a five and ten-cent store in Columbia city within the next two weeks.

Mr. Upson will return to his home in Cleveland this week, after a pleasant visit with his friend, Nathan Smyser.

Dr. N. R. Wenger left for New York, Saturday night on Pennsylvania train No. 8, and will sail from New York for Europe in a few days.

Fish for Lent.

Holland Herring Down 5c Keg.

New Holland Herring, 85c keg.
New Scotch Herring, $1.15 keg.
Imported Russian Sardelles, 70c keg.
Family White Fish, 45c kit.
Family Mackerel, $1.40 kit.
Genuine Georgia Bank Codfish, 7c lb.
Large Labrador Herring, 1½c each.

FRUIT HOUSE.

MONEY TO LOAN

On real estate or personal security. C. F. PFEIFFER, Rooms 6-7 Bass Blk. 17tf

Florida Strawberries and Southern Vegetables for Tuesday Morning.

Fancy Strawberries, 35c qut.
Havana New Potatoes, 50c peck.
Fresh Spinach, 30c peck,
Hot House Lettuce, 14c lb.
Florida Tomatoes, 12½c lb.
Radishes and Onions, 2c bunch.
Cincinnati Rhubarb, 8c bunch.
Michigan Celery, 18c bunch.

FRUIT HOUSE.

Dr. Thompson is home from Delphos, Ohio.

Miss Hazel Pearse, entertained the West End club last Saturday evening.

W. E. Mossman visited A. C. Wilkerson in Huntington Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. William M. McKinnie are visiting Mr. McKinnie's relatives in Pittsburgh.

Miss Anna Gehring, of Butler, Ind., is visiting her brother, Jack Gehring, of this city.

M. L. Spencer, a prominent Huntington attorney, was in the city today transacting some business.

The council of Jewish women will meet on Thursday and Miss Minnie Frank will read a paper before the club.

Mrs. Cora Hively and Misses Jennie and Stella Meek visited over Sunday with the family of Dr. Widup, in Columbia City.

J. K. Ferguson and R. S. Robertson have formed a partnership and will engage in the lumber business, Mr. Robertson having severed his connection with Hoffman Bros.

An advertising social will be given Monday evening by the Berry street M. E. church Epworth league at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Schell, 100 Columbia avenue.

A meeting of all the barbers of the state has been called by State Organizer Chas. J. Steiss, of this city. The convention will be held at Anderson, Ind., on the 21st of this month. It is intended at this meeting to form a state association and draft a bill to be presented to the next legislature for the purpose of creating a state board of examiners. The barbers of Fort Wayne will send several representatives.

JUICY

Beef Roasts and Fine Tender Steaks Cut From Large Corn Fed Steers at the Greatest Grocery.

Fresh Veal, Lamb, Pork Chops, Spare Ribs, Leaf and Kettle Rendered Lard, Sausages of all kinds; also Brounch Schwicker Liverwurst, Sliced Ham, Cooked Pressed Ham, Chipped Dried Beef, and Smoked Meats of all kinds at

THE GREATEST GROCERY,
HERMAN STROBEL,
Butcher.

Tickets for Vincent Course of Lectures on sale at Woodworth's Drug Store and Lehman's Book Store. Lectures March 28, 29, April 4 and 5.

14,16,19,21,22,23,24,25,26,28

Have you seen that $15 light covert overcoat at Reuben S. Patterson's? It has strap seams and is lined throughout with heavy silk.

Miss Josephine Zartman has been the guest of Miss Minnie Eichhorn, of Bluffton. Saturday afternoon Miss Eichhorn entertained friends in honor of Miss Zartman.

W. E. Clapham has received a letter informing him that the carload of provisions shipped to the Cubans had arrived safely in New York and was starting for Cuba.

FOR SALE

This week, sample line of $1.25, $1.50 and $1.75 slippers—Oxfords, button and Juliets, in black and tan, at 79c. Also velvet and opera slippers at 39c. Oxfords, 45c. Confirmation suits, $3.50, $4.75 and $6.50. All wool spring capes, 50c. Trimmed and untrimmed sailors, 10c, and all other goods in proportion, at 4 and 6 Harrison street.

THE FAIR.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thus return our sincere thanks to friends and neighbors for their kindly acts and sympathies during the sickness and death of our beloved husband and father.

MRS. H. J. SCHROEDER AND CHILDREN.

A LITTLE WONDER.

Is that $15 silk lined spring overcoat at Reuben S. Patterson's.

We desire in this manner to fervently thank our kind friends and neighbors for their assistance and words of sweet consolation in our hour of sad bereavement, the death of our dear baby, Raymond, whom God, in his infinite wisdom, has taken from us.

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Each dollar you trade at Reuben S. Patterson's entitled you to one ticket, $10 in cash given away each week.

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Easy Terms. Strictly Private

Loans made on Household Goods, Pianos, Organs, Wagons, Horses, Bicycles, etc., on same day as application, the property remaining in your possession. We have a NEW EASY PAYMENT PLAN which gives you a much longer time at a very low rate. If you are thinking of borrowing, call and we will explain same to you.

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Newest Goods—Largest line.

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That Patterson's is the place to buy your spring hat. All grades from a fifty cent soft hat to an eight dollar silk Dunlap.

200 dry goods cases for sale; large sizes, 10c each. THE PEOPLES STORE.

Ticket No. 29,324 is worth $10 in cash at Reuben S. Patterson's.

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And most complete line of bicycle sundries, Morgan & Wright, Hartford and Goodrich tires; Christy, Messenger and other popular makes of saddles, and any other old thing you may need.

COLUMBIA MACHINE WORKS,
8tf 54 and 56 Barr St.

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Spring Opening.

Big reduction—25 per cent. on a dollar. Do not let this chance pass. I have got a full line of umbrella covers; also, a large assortment of the latest style of handles, so I offer you this big reduction till April 1.

J. KRETZMAN,
158 Calhoun Street.

WALL PAPER.

We have the handsomest line in the city.

The large purchase we made enables us to sell Cheaper than others.

Call and see our artistic line.

KEIL & KEIL,
116 Calhoun Street.

For Sale.

Six room cottage No. 400 South Harrison street, one-half block from street car track. Good cement cellar. Hard and soft water. Gas and electric lights.

J. E. SUNDERLAND,
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SHIRT WAISTS.

We make our first showing today of

SHIRT WAISTS,

And they are the prettiest ever produced and the prices are less than ever. The materials used are more appropriate than last season, and the styles exceed anything ever produced in Cotton Waists.

As many of the fabrics cannot be duplicated you will do well to get yours while the assortment is complete.

Take Elevator to Second Floor.

Suits and Jackets

We add to our stock today **25 Ladies' Wool Tailor Made Suits** at

$5.00, $7.$50 and 9.00 Each.

These are wonderful bargains.

McCall's Patterns for April Ready. Fashion Sheets Free.

DUNN & TAFT,

54 Calhoun Street.

Arnold's Bromo-Celery. Head queer? This remedy will clear it. Try it. 10 cts. For sale by Gross & Pellens.

M. L. Jones, the photograph supply man, has on sale a book published by himself, called the "Amateur Photographer," which contains a great fund of valuable information for the amateur artist.

Neat and nobby are the patterns, and a perfect fit guaranteed, in our spring suits. G. Schmidt, Merchant Tailor, 70 E. Main street. 11tf

For Sale.

The Young Men's Christian association building and lot 40x160 feet. Price $23,000. Inquire or write to

W. E. CLAPHAM, Pres.,
27tf 22-23 Pixley-Long Bldg.

Don't Wait for a Declaration of War With Spain.

Get your bicycles out at once and have them repaired, enameled, new tires, etc., before we get so awfully busy. They are coming thick and fast, but this is only a starter. We expect to be buried before April 1st. Come now.

COLUMBIA MACHINE WORKS,
8tf 54 and 56 Barr Street.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT.

Received of Tribe of Ben Hur $1,000, full amount of certificate held by my husband, who was killed Sunday, Feb. 28, only seven days intervening between his death and payment of claim. I desire to express my gratitude to the order for their prompt payment and to the members of the local court for their sympathy in my great bereavement.

MRS. BELLE FILES.

INCANDESCENT GAS LIGHT.

A great gas saver, gives soft, pleasant light—nothing better made. I only handle one grade and that is the best. Not to be compared with the cheap lights advertised.

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Dyspepsia, Heartburn, Gastritis and all Stomach Disorders positively cured. Grover Graham's Dyspepsia remedy is a specific. One dose relieves all distress, and a permanent cure of the most chronic and severe cases is guaranteed. Do not suffer! A 50 cent bottle will convince the most skeptical. nov15-3m

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SPECIAL DRESS GOODS SALE.

We can show more styles and better values in 12½c, 19c, 25c, 39c and 50c Dress Goods than any other house in the city.

Special prices this week on Fancy Silks for Waists.

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We are showing a complete line of Spring Underwear for Ladies, Gents' and Children's at special low prices. Ladies' Wrappers at reduced prices.

CURTAIN DEPARTMENT.

50c Lace Curtains, worth 65c.
85c Lace Curtains, worth $1.00.
$1.00 Lace Curtains, worth $1.25.
$1.25 Lace Curtains, worth $1.75.
$1.75 Lace Curtains, $2.25.
$1.95 Lace Curtains, worth $2.50.
$1.95 Chenille Curtains, worth $2.50.
$2.50 Tapestry Curtains, worth $3.00.
Curtain Poles at reduced prices.
Rugs at special prices this week.

Do Your Trading at the Boston Store. We have many Bargains to Offer This Week.

Wm. Hahn & Co.,

THE BOSTON STORE.

Clearing Sale.

Clothing Department

Men's Suit $18,	NOW	$13.50
Men's Suit 15,	NOW	11.25
Men's Suit 12,	NOW	9.00
Men's Suit 10,	NOW	7.50
Men's Suit 9,	NOW	6.75
Men's Suit 6,	NOW	3.75

25 per cent. discount on young men's and children's Suits and Overcoats.

10 per cent on all black and blue worsted Suits.

25 per cent. on all Underwear, Shirts, Neckwear, Hats, Caps.

Our own make working pants reduced 25 per cent.

Tailoring Department

We have reduced

All $40 Suits to $30.00
All 38 Suits to 30.00
All 35 Suits to 22.00
All 30 Suits to 22.00
All 25 Suits to 16.50
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